Forecast—Cloudy; rain in evening; winds light (Details on Page 2)

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Towline Breaks, Enterprise Near Perilous Rocks

New Gale, Strong Tide Threat To Listing Ship; Carlsen Silent

FALMOUTH, Jan. 9 (Wednesday) (CP).—The crippled Flying Enterprise broke loose from her towline in the rough Atlantic early today and was wallowing helplessly in sight of land.

Capt. Kurt Carlsen and Mate Kenneth Dancy of the Turmoil were presumably still aboard but had not been heard from for hours.

The broken American freighter lay heeled over at the mercy of heavy seas about 50 miles from Falmouth but only 10 miles from the rocks of Lizard Head on the English coast.

The ship rode out a three-hour storm Monday night and appeared to be riding steadily behind the towing tug Turmoil when the five-inch steel cable snapped.

The Turmoil's owners said the tug had radioed: "Tow parted Lizard bearing 225 degrees 10 miles." Lizard is the southernmost point off the coast of Cornwall.

MUCH CLOSER

(The reference from the tug indicating the break came only 10 miles from the Lizard was not immediately clarified. This is much closer to Falmouth than the 53 miles reported originally.)

Twenty minutes later, the U.S. destroyer Willard Keith radioed navy headquarters in London that the line broke "in rough seas." The message from the Keith added, "there has been no word from Carlsen since 1820 hours (6.20 p.m.) Tuesday evening. There are four tugs at sea."

The ominous turn followed a midnight position report from the Keith that the worst of the storm it had reported earlier was past and the Enterprise was being towed toward Falmouth at about three knots.

—The Enterprise was originally due at Falmouth late today.

NEW LINE

Following the break, the tug messaged Carlsen: "Best thing we can do is wait for daylight and come in and try to reconnect. Try and get some rest if you can."

The Turmoil has another line, a 20-inch Manila hawser, ready to hook on in the morning.

The Enterprise faces a great hazard in raging seas off the tip of Cornwall, where the English Channel pours into the Atlantic. Earlier, a sailor of 30 years' experience aboard the tug Englishman, chartered by the Associated Press, said:

"If the tow lines part anywhere in that area, the danger to the Enterprise will be immense because she would be subject to strong tidal current. She would be almost bound to hit rocks and break up in no time."

Latest weather reports received here this morning threatened to bring more trouble to the Enterprise, now drifting powerless in the rolling Atlantic. Heavier gales were expected to strike the area soon.

Five Die as Home for Aged Burns

Five elderly persons, residents of an apartment block operated as a private home for the aged, died from asphyxiation when fire swept through the building in Notre Dame de Grace district of Montreal. The five, two of whom were nearly blind, were unable to escape from the third floor because flames blocked the stairway. Bodies of four women and one man were found by firemen.—(CP photo.)

Liberal Meet Hits Price-Fixing Law

Kenney Defends Policy

By Colonist Staff Reporter

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8. The Provincial Forest Service isn't trying to put the small logging operator out of business, Forests Minister E. T. Kenney declared here today.

Instead, he said, "we're trying to keep him in business."

The minister made a half-hour defense of forest services practices, especially the forest management policy, at the final session of the B.C. Liberal Association's executive meeting.

He found himself facing an angry group of Fraser Valley delegates who decried the forest management plan and opposed a pending application by the Clayburn Brick and Tile Co. for a management license covering 5,400 acres on Sumas Mountain.

George Cruickshank, federal member for Fraser Valley, shouted that "five companies are getting control of all the timber in this province."

Delegate Alan Cameron declared that "if this (the present government policy) carries on, in five years there'll only be four operators in B.C."

CAN WRITE OFF SEATS

Rex Cox, of Mission City, warned the committee that if the Clayburn application is granted, "you can write off two seats in the valley."

The valley delegates met the minister after yesterday's business meeting to talk over the Clayburn application. Mr. Kenney told them they still had time to take their objections to the cabinet, before a final decision on the license is made.

"We're here to protect the little fellow," Mr. Kenney said. "The big fellow doesn't need any protection."

But, he said, small operators waste from 30 to 60 per cent of the wood they cut, while big operators use every foot of wood in the tree.

He asked: "Should we subsidize the little fellow up to 60 per cent waste to keep him in business, just because he hasn't got the facilities to get all the salvage out of the woods?"

His address resulted in defeat of a resolution calling for an independent forest commission, as specified in the Sloan report of 1945, to administer the province's multi-billion-dollar forest resources.

FOR 10 YEARS

He said the commission, which would inevitably be weighted in favor of industry, would be appointed for 10 years and would receive all government revenue from the forests.

"We have no right to delegate our resources to any group having no responsibility to the people," he insisted.

Resolution Endorsing Ottawa Move Tabled

By ARNIE MYERS
Colonist Staff Reporter

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—Members of the B.C. Liberal Party's executive committee today attacked the federal government's new anti-price-fixing law.

A resolution endorsing Ottawa's action came up before the committee meeting here this afternoon.

G. A. A. Hebden, president of the Victoria Liberal Association, led the attack on the price-fixing ban.

He contended that "price maintenance is not a sinister anti-social plot, but just the opposite: it is an attempt to prevent the anti-social practice of cut-throat competition."

Charles Defieux, Burnaby-Richmond delegate, supported Mr. Hebden. He said the ban had lost the Liberal party favor with the small merchants, "the backbone of the community." Under the new law, he said, many communities would soon find themselves without a backbone.

TEAPOT TEMPEST

Tom King of Golden, a long-time retailer, said only about 20 per cent of retail prices were set by the manufacturer, and the whole thing was "a tempest in a teapot."

The committee gingerly tabled the resolution to await a provincial convention.

Almost all of 35 other resolutions were passed today, however many of them without discussion.

One urging the sale of colored margarine passed over the protests of George Cruikshank, Fraser Valley M.P., and dairy farmer. He claimed the resolution "would handicap any Liberal candidate running in a rural riding in the next provincial election."

Donald McTavish, solicitor for the district municipality of Salmon Arm, clashed with Education Minister W. T. Straith over another resolution.

This one, prompted by the recent Salmon Arm school closure, called for an amendment to the Public Schools Act "whereby it will be mandatory to keep all properly attended schools open."

YEARS BEHIND

Mr. McTavish demanded "a complete new Public School Act. This one is years behind the times."

He said that "as Liberals we should condemn" Mr. Straith's refusal to step into the Salmon Arm dispute.

Other resolutions called for:

An increase from six to 12 in B.C.'s Senate representation;

A plebiscite at the next election "to determine the wishes of the people as to the proper method of sale of alcoholic beverages;"

Liquor stores for more small towns;

"A more equitable distribution" of the sales tax revenues;

Lifting of the ban keeping men and women over 45 from joining the civil service;

Prevention of further increases in utility rates;

A complete restatement of practical Liberal policies.

A defeated amendment to a resolution called for the financing of the Hospital Insurance Service out of consolidated revenue instead of through increased premiums.

Churchill, Truman End Conferences

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (CP).—Prime Minister Winston Churchill and President Truman ended their four-day conference tonight with a reported pledge to give solid support to plans for an all-European army as a bulwark against possible Communist aggression.

Responsible officials said the President and Mr. Churchill both expressed the fervent desire to see the six-country army plan succeed in the shortest possible time.

This reaffirmation of joint policy came as a climax to a 90-minute meeting at the White House — the seventh since the conference began Saturday.

A joint communique of about 1,200 words announcing the results of the meeting is due to be issued late Wednesday, probably after Mr. Churchill has left for Ottawa.

At the final session in the White House, officials said Mr. Churchill reiterated Britain's support for the all-European army idea first proposed by France. This would combine part of the armies of France, Italy, Belgium, The Netherlands, Germany and Luxembourg.

Britain apparently will not join in the army but will give maximum co-operation, it was said, to make the plan a success. American officials said there never was any plan for British participation, but only co-operation, and that this satisfies the United States at present.

Officials in advance of the communique hailed the Truman-Churchill meeting as a "genuine success."

No startling decisions are expected to be disclosed in the communique. But officials said the get-together has helped each country understand the other's viewpoint better and has reinforced a determination to weld joint policies against aggression in the Middle East, Southeast Asia and the Far East.

A joint British-American understanding on how to share scarce raw materials is expected to be part of the communique. A high level committee which worked on this problem for two days reported to the President and Prime Minister on their discussions and, officials said, "a concrete understanding" was developed.

Last Push Needed For Fund

One last push by generous Victorians will put the Daily Colonist fund for cigarettes for Canadian soldiers in Korea over the top.

Donations yesterday pushed the total to $2,671.76, leaving a total of approximately $225 needed to complete the fund. The final $100 to carry the fund from $2,900 to $3,000 has already been contributed by an anonymous donor.

A Pacific Club collection box helped to swell the fund yesterday.

Clubs and organizations that have not yet contributed are expected to be the big factor in putting the fund over the top, along with the donations from individuals that come through the mail every day.

MORE THAN 600,000

By the end of this month, more than 600,000 cigarettes, plus pipe tobacco, will have gone to the men of Canada's brigade in Korea.

The fund was started after returning veterans of the Far East war reported that cigarettes were needed particularly Canadian brands.

Plot Foiled In Portugal

LISBON, Jan. 9 (Wednesday) (INS).—Portugal announced today that a number of persons have been arrested in a plot against the government.

Flying Forces Rallying in Defense Of Airpark Scheme at Gordon Head

A desperate last-ditch stand is being made by the Victoria Flying Club and others in defense of the Gordon Head airpark property, now up for sale by the city to the federal government.

The city has been offered $20,000 for the 57-acre property by the national defense department, the same amount paid for the land several years ago.

The property was sold to the city on the agreement that it would be used for an airport. Three years ago, however, Saanich voters refused to approve rezoning for that purpose.

In a letter to the city council, the flying club asks for a hearing in order to "acquaint the members . . . with the latest facts and information . . . which are in the best interests of the community."

NEVER IN PLANE

"Opposition," the letter says, "came from the then reeve of Saanich, who publicly declared he had never been in a plane and had no intention of doing so."

Others who protested convinced themselves that "planes would be frequently crashing on top of their houses, would affect the laying and hatching of chickens' eggs, would make life unbearable in the hospitals and old men's homes, and would disastrously ruin real estate values in Saanich, Oak Bay and Victoria," the letter says.

A supporting letter to the council has been written by Capt. Burges Gadsden, president of the B.C. Aviation Council, who asks for "kind consideration for the Victoria Flying Club."

The flying club officials ask for a chance to prove that all the arguments put up against establishment of an airpark are erroneous.

"We charge that under the impact of objective analysis the arguments of those opposing it would not hold up . . . it must be judged from the findings of air experts as to what the airport would mean to the community as a whole," they say.

"It is our opinion, shared by top-ranking air officials, that the Gordon Head site is the finest natural harbor for aircraft in this area and any person or persons who are willing to dispose of it without first getting the opinions of our own air experts have not got the best interests of the community at heart."

Members say they can prove that the airpark will be a service to the residents of the adjacent area and "that the noise from small planes is more imaginary than real."

Department of Transport air regulations prevent any pilot under strict penalty from making a nuisance of himself.

The club claims that if the site is now lost, world air progress will eventually make the need for an airport more apparent and then the cost would be "staggering."

"A close-in airport means more to us being on an island than it does to any city on the mainland . . . the community would get a first class airpark for less than half the cost of the proper market value of the land."

"We refuse to believe," the letter concludes, "that Victoria citizens are less air-minded or progressive than other B.C. citizens."

Capt. Gadsden reminds the council that the flying club did leveling and draining work at the site worth nearly $10,000.

Cigarette, Gasoline Prices Stick Despite Retail Price-Fixing Ban

By BRIAN LOUGHNAN

There won't be any bargains in cigarettes in Victoria, in spite of the new federal ban against manufacturers' setting retail prices. A pack anywhere in the city still costs 43 cents.

Who sets the 43-cent price? Tobacco dealers, wholesalers and retailers, last night told The Daily Colonist. "Ain't nobody here but us chickens."

Nobody sets the price, they insist.

It is possible, they admit, that tobacco manufacturers "suggest" the retail price, but actually retailers could set their own prices if they wanted to.

How do all retailers "separately" arrive at the 43-cent price? "They are just coasting," one tobacco wholesaler said, "from the time when the manufacturer was allowed to set the price. It's just a case of nobody cutting prices."

NO BARGAINS

Following the same lead, The Colonist tried to buy a gallon of gasoline for a few cents under the normal price.

Impossible, garage dealers said. But "nobody" was again responsible for setting the price. Nobody, that is, but the retailer. All retailers in Victoria agree on the same price, although they do not get together to discuss prices.

"It's the head offices in Vancouver," one oil company official said. "They set the price of gasoline as far as we know."

The Vancouver head office refused credit for setting gasoline prices, however.

"You'd have to phone our national office," they said. "The Toronto office sets the price as far as we are concerned."

Further enquiries indicated that the Toronto head office would probably refer queries to the head office in the United States.

Somehow, The Colonist discovered, "nobody" is avoiding price competition, if only by passing the buck.

Shop Entered By Back Door

A back alley burglar early this morning broke the period of quiet that followed the holiday season.

Sometime before 1 a.m. today, thieves gained entrance to George Cole's Sporting Goods, 2655 Douglas, by smashing a panel of the rear door and reaching in and releasing the night latch.

Hunting knives and other sports equipment had been scattered about the store, but the value of merchandise stolen had not been ascertained by press time.

Price Law Is No Use To B.C. Liquor Buyers

Victoria liquor buyers won't get much change out of the recent federal ban on price fixing.

"Liquor is not affected by statutes," according to the Liquor Control Board.

Price of liquor is approved by order in council after being set by the provincial government. It is a Crown commodity and any price can be set on it, even including profits of several hundred per cent.

The Liquor Board says customers who try to haggle for a bottle will find it's a long time between drinks.

Time for New Plates

Taking heed of license department warning on deadline for bicycle licenses, 13-year-old Bill Ozard of 318 Irving Road mounts his red-and-white 1952 plates. New licenses must be purchased at the city scales on Fisgard Street before the end of January, after which police will begin checking. Renewals cost cyclists 50 cents and originals $1.

Johnson Crushes Critics; Harry Perry Quits Post

Colonist Staff Reporter

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8. A forceful and outspoken Boss Johnson today won a hands-down victory over his critics and opponents within the ranks of his own party.

The premier angrily denounced his opponents from the speakers' platform in a morning session of the executive committee of the B.C. Liberal Association.

His forceful talk blocked the passage of two resolutions which would have meant an immediate provincial Liberal convention and very likely would have split up the uneasy Liberal-Conservative coalition and brought on a general election.

The meeting ended tonight a full day ahead of schedule with the resignation of Harry Perry (with whom the Premier had fought a sharp verbal exchange earlier in the days as president of the B.C. Liberal Association.

The premier had the gloves off when he beat down the attempt to precipitate the dissolution of a 10-year-old political marriage.

He was "amazed," he said, when he found out this morning that the association's resolutions committee had drafted a resolution calling for a provincial convention in February without even consulting him.

He had told the committee yesterday, he said, that he wanted the convention held either next spring or early in the fall. And here was the resolutions committee, calling for a convention "before the end of February," after he had announced that the spring session of the legislature would convene Feb. 19.

The premier said he would boycott any convention held while the legislature was sitting. "My responsibility is to the people of this province," he declared, "and I will be attending sessions of the legislature . . ."

Madam Speaker Nancy Hodges jumped into the fight on the premier's side.

"It should be obvious," she said, "that you can't hold a convention on the eve of a session . . . it would be very foolish to hold it before the House gets reports on such important matters as the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act and the Hospital Insurance Act."

(Inquiry boards probing these acts are to report to the February session.)

She suggested that the convention deadline be set at June 30.

And that was the way the convention left it, after Mr. Johnson insisted that the exact date be left to him and his executive officers, to see that it would not conflict with the sitting of the federal House. It is expected the convention will be held during parliament's Easter recess.

The other resolution which Premier Johnson defeated would have set the convention date for the break-up of coalition. In its amended form, the resolution gave the convention power to decide when the coalition should end.

And the premier told his audience: "If you withdraw your support and say coalition is finished, there's a general election. That's all there is to it."

Earlier, Premier Johnson assailed his Liberal critics.

Speaking to Mr. Perry, he said, "My position has been almost impossible at a time when you were giving out press statements accusing me of selling out the province and my cabinet ministers of being weak-kneed individuals."

He rapped federal M.P. George Cruikshank who, he said, "while I was in hospital after an accident . . . urged the drafting of James Sinclair (Coast-Capilano) to 'save the Liberal party.'"

Then he reviewed the accomplishments of his administration: An expanded public works program—completion of the P.G.E. to Prince George, attraction of major industries, and many others.

Replied Mr. Perry: "We're happy to know what the coalition government has done." He stressed the word "coalition."

But, he said, the premier had claimed so much credit for the Liberals, that "the only thing Anscomb can claim credit for now is the creation of creation."

"I did not take credit for the Liberal party," the premier cried, leaping to his feet. "The president is putting words in my mouth that I did not say. It's a most unusual thing that you should try to contort my words. I can understand it, but I wouldn't expect it."

During the exchange, Mr. Perry had had his signed resignation in his pocket. At the unexpectedly early end of the meeting he threw it on the table.

He said he was quitting "primarily for reasons of health," and that his decision was "irrevocable."

Premier to Set Date

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ALL ABOARD

By G. E. Mortimore

The hollow sound you hear is Mighty Hunter Mortimore beating his chest, at imminent hazard of caving it in.

Others may boast of felling a chamois with an air rifle at 6,000 yards, or trapping a leopard in a wire [illegible] of glory, too. I caught a rabbit with my bare hands and brought it back alive.

You small-time Frank Buck types can restrain that sneer. Did you ever catch a rabbit with your bare hands? I thought not.

My neighbor Alec owns two stout bunnies which might well have become 22 bunnies by now, except for the fortunate fact that they are both of the same sex. Nobody is quite sure which sex that is, but it doesn't really matter.

As prisoners, the rabbits are in the "trusty" class. Quite often Mr. and Mrs. Alec grant them the freedom of the house and yard, and allow them to fraternize with dogs, cats and children.

Under an arrangement like that, you can be certain that someone will abuse his privileges and spoil things for everyone else. That's rabbit nature, I suppose.

Well, a couple of weeks ago one of the boys heard the call of the wild and made a break for the old blackberry patch. Chief Warden Alec, while refusing to announce details of the escape, sent out a district-wide alarm.

A posse of grim-faced children and teen-agers scoured the neighborhood in hope of snagging the fugitive and the 50 cents reward which Alec had offered for his capture. No luck.

Every now and then a cautious black nose peered through the branches, then retreated.

The jaggers sometimes got so close to Brer Rabbit that they could have bitten his ear. But just as they were drawing breath to give a yell of triumph, he slipped through their fingers and lit out for the woods.

Snares were placed. He wriggled out of them. Pits were dug and covered with paper and juicy lettuce leaves. He jumped clear.

There was only one thing to do: call in an expert. A message went on its way to Mortimore, scarred and scratched veteran of more than 20 years' rat-catching.

* * *

Alec and Mortimore closed on a stretch of blackberry where the quarry was likely to be skulking. As they hacked their way through the well-nigh impenetrable bush, there was a scream of anguish.

Mortimore had ripped the pants of his only suit. But the old hunter pressed on, and presently his keen ears caught a slight crackle. Not two feet away crouched the animal, ready to spring.

And the animal did spring, in the opposite direction, and galloped through the bush as fast as he could go. The hunter breathed a sigh of relief. The danger was over, for the time being at least.

After a grueling half-hour chase through wild country infested with thorns and old tin cans, Alec and Mortimore had the beast cornered. But the beast didn't know it. He turned about and ran through Mortimore's legs.

Never confessing defeat, the hunter noiselessly retraced his steps, caught the big animal in an unguarded moment, and pounced. There was a struggle. For some time the issue remained in doubt. First Mortimore sank his fingers in the rabbit's hide. Then the rabbit's powerful legs tightened on his jugular vein. At that moment, terrified onlookers thought the fight was over. But they reckoned without the old hunter's iron muscles. In an instant he had torn free of the rabbit's grip, slung the animal bodily over his shoulder and manhandled it back to the hutch, where Alec shook his hand.

In lieu of the reward, the old hunter accepted a cigar and a glass of beer and did his best to ignore the laughter of his wife. No hunter is a hero at home.

Skating Show Shines With 200,000 Mirrors

One of the featured nine production numbers being presented by "Ice Cycles of 1952" is "Lights and Shadows," an unusual and brilliant production in which startling lighting effects are obtained by using more than 200,000 mirrors as ornaments on magnificent costumes.

The gowns are made of heavy blue satin and more than 5,000 small mirrors are sewn on each of the 20 hoop skirts alone. [illegible] and headpieces, and all scenic effects, including a huge mirrored vase and eight mirror-bedecked lounges, glitter with other thousands.

"Lights and Shadows" has an unusual musical accompaniment including "Dancing in the Dark."

In the feature roles in "Lights and Shadows" are two Vancouver skating stars. They are gold-medalist Jeanne Matthews and Marshall Garfett, who is also seen with Jerry Murphy in a new precision team.

"Lights and Shadows" is part of a show which features Sigmund Romberg's "The Student Prince" — the first presentation of an operetta on ice.

"Ice Cycles of 1952" opens a six-show stand at Memorial Arena on Tuesday. Evening performances are scheduled each night through Saturday and there is a Saturday matinee. The opening night is sponsored by the Solarium Junior League and the Kinsmen Club of Victoria. In addition, proceeds from sale of programs and novelties for all six performances will be in aid of the Queen Alexandra Solarium.

Jeanne Matthews, Canadian gold medalist, is a star of the Ice Cycles of 1952. The show opens at Ice Arena Tuesday.

School Plan Submitted To Liberals

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 — A proposal for complete integration of Catholic and other minority group schools into the B.C. public school system came before the B.C. Liberal party's executive committee here this afternoon.

Under the proposed reform, separate school buildings would be taken over where needed by district school boards either on a purchase or rental basis, and teachers would be retained by the school board at the same rate of pay as its own teachers.

If, however, the additional pupils meant that a new school had to be built, it would be up to the minority group involved to raise the money to build it. The provincial government would make its usual school-building grants.

Provision is made for up to half an hour of religious teaching.

The plan also calls for school inspection, teacher salary grants, health services, free text books and bus transportation.

The proposal was framed by the executive's resolutions committee and was simply presented for study. It will be distributed to local Liberal associations, whose members will be asked to vote on it at the party's next convention.

Post-War Wrens Arrive at Naden

First Wrens to arrive at Esquimalt since the end of the war, checked in at H.M.C.S. Naden this week.

Here as medical assistants are Ronalda Baranowski and Patricia Oliver.

The two girls came here after basic training at H.M.C.S. Cornwallis.

LEEDS, Eng. (CP) — A new motorbus developed here met every test successfully, except for the screeching of its brakes. Experiments are under way to remove the noise.

Renovation of Saanich Council Seating Studied: Oak Bay Reeve Appoints Committee Personnel

Renovation of Saanich council chambers may result in greater public seating accommodation.

The move was initiated by Councillor H. K. Bate at the council's inaugural meeting Monday evening. He felt that renovation, for which a cost estimate is being prepared, would improve facilities for council work and also encourage more of the public to attend meetings.

About 15 spectators attended the Saanich meeting.

Oak Bay held its first 1952 council meeting without any of the public present.

Reeve P. A. Gibbs noted that council would attempt to keep capital expenditures to a minimum.

However, library, civil defense and lighting costs might be reflected in the tax rate, he said.

Council showed interest in a Greater Victoria incorporation scheme.

A special council meeting was indicated for discussion of civil defense matters.

Reeve Gibbs named Cir. R. B. Wilson finance committee chairman, assisted by Councillors J. V. Johnson and F. E. Norris.

Other council committees with chairmen named first are: Public works, Cir. Johnson, Cir. F. Robinson, Cir. George Murdoch; fire, Cir. J. Rattan, Cir. Johnson, Cir. Wilson; lands, Cir. Murdoch, Cir. Rattan and Cir. Norris; transportation, Cir. Robinson, Cir. Wilson, Cir. Rattan; town planning, Cir. Norris; social welfare, Cir. Norris; May 24 celebrations, Cirs. Robinson, library, Cir. Wilson.

Mrs. Christina Wood Buried in Vancouver

Well-known in Victoria, where she lived for many years before the First World War, Mrs. Christina Wood, wife of Mr. Justice H. S. Wood, was buried yesterday in Vancouver.

Mrs. Wood, the former Christina Mowbray, was a niece of Sir Richard and Lady McBride, and lived with them here before graduating from Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Known as one of Canada's outstanding nurses, Mrs. Wood was awarded the Royal Red Cross, first and second class, for her work as a nursing sister overseas during the First World War.

In 1933 she was married to Magistrate Wood, now Mr. Justice Wood of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and resided in Vancouver since that time.

Death followed a sudden heart attack Sunday in Vancouver General Hospital.

Sympathy of the judiciary was extended to Mr. Justice Wood by Chief Justice W. R. Farris, and by J. G. A. Hutcheson, K.C., on behalf of the bar.

Besides her husband, she leaves two stepsons, Philip, Vancouver, and Archibald, New Westminster.

Funeral services were conducted in Central Presbyterian Church, with Rev. J. B. Skene officiating.

Burial was in Ocean View Burial Park.

Sunken Ship Yields Copper

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 8 (Reuters). The British salvage tug Foremost has docked at Port Eden, New South Wales, with 70 tons of copper ingots recovered from a ship believed sunk by a mine in 1918, the Cumberland, lying 30 fathoms deep near Gabo Island, off the Victoria coast.

ORPHANS' HOME

The Seventy-Ninth Annual Meeting of the Subscribers to the B.C. Protestant Orphans' Home will be held in the Council Chamber of the City Hall on THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1952, 4 p.m., for the purpose of considering Annual Reports, the election of a Board of Managers and transacting any other business in the interests of the Society.

A Managers' Meeting will be held following the Annual Meeting.

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Weather Forecast

January 9, 1952
(Government Forecast)

TODAY

Cloudy with showers. Little change in temperature, winds southerly 20.

RECORDED TEMPERATURES

High yesterday	44
Low yesterday	36

BOWNTOWN
(to 10:30 p.m.)

High	43
Low	37
Sunshine (estimate)	0.0
Precipitation	01

FORECAST TEMPERATURES

High today	46
Low today	36

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Jan. 9	8:09	4:39
Jan. 10	8:09	4:40
Jan. 11	8:09	4:41
Jan. 12	8:09	4:42
Jan. 13	8:09	4:43
Jan. 14	8:09	4:44
Jan. 15	8:09	4:45
Jan. 16	8:09	4:46
Jan. 17	8:09	4:47
Jan. 18	8:09	4:48

TIDES AT VICTORIA

Jan.	Time	Ft.	Time	Ft.
9	0:18	12.8	6:30	8.3
	12:18	2.2	18:42	14.0
10	1:06	12.8	7:18	8.3
	13:06	2.2	19:30	14.0
11	1:54	12.8	8:06	8.3
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	15:07	2.1	21:31	13.6
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Barkerville	30	13	11
Comox	41	31	.04
Cranbrook	4	-8	
Dawson	-18	-35	Trace
Fort Nelson	-16	-31	
Fort St. John	-14	-31	Trace
Kamloops	3	-4	.01
Penticton	23	19	.05
Prince George	11	-4	.01
Prince Rupert	38	31	.08
Quesnel	-18	-35	
Smithers	3	-4	.01
Vancouver	43	37	.09
Victoria	46	36	.02
Whitehorse	0	-14	.05
Yellowknife	-38	-51	

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Hope for Settlement of Transit Strike In Toronto Darkens After Conference

TORONTO, Jan. 8 (CP)—A feeling of optimism regarding possible settlement of Toronto's transit strike ebbed tonight following conferences between Mayor Allan Lamport and officials representing both sides of the dispute.

The mayor earlier said signs "pointing to a possible kettle of fish" had developed after a brief discussion with representatives of the striking street car and bus operators.

But after he conferred with chairman William McBrien of the Toronto Transportation Commission, the mayor lost his earlier optimism. Both sides sat tight on their original proposals.

It had been the first hope of a break in the strike which started abruptly last Friday. While Torontonians awaited the result of the mayor's efforts, they set off for home as they've done for five days—in automobiles, trucks or on foot.

The 4,700 T.T.C. operating employees seek a 15-cent-an-hour wage increase to $1.55 an hour.

The commission has offered five cents, the figure recommended by a majority of a conciliation board. It contends it cannot increase wages without raising fares, now three tickets for 25 cents.

Estimates of the cost of the strike so far ranged up to $1,000,000. Loss of T.T.C. revenue alone was placed at $475,000 with the operators whose $15-a-week strike pay does not start until after the second week of the strike losing $200,000. Throughout downtown Toronto business was estimated to be off 70 per cent with department stores, movies and taverns particularly hard hit.

The 229,000 residents of Greater Toronto who go to work daily in the downtown area appeared resigned meantime to getting along indefinitely without street cars and buses. After five days those without a prearranged automobile or truck lifts thought nothing of going to the nearest corner and thumbing a ride.

Traffic, with motor cars on the streets in three or four times normal numbers, still was a problem, but major tie-ups were comparatively few. Emergency parking regulations and new traffic rules were easing the situation.

The first layoffs due to the strike were announced today when Danforth bus lines, which operates buses connecting with T.T.C. routes, laid off 12 employees. The company said its business was cut by 50 per cent.

The T.T.C. serves Toronto with a population of 700,000, and 12 adjacent municipalities with a total population of 600,000. Independent lines such as the Danforth Company feeding outlying T.T.C. routes ,but cannot move into T.T.C. territory.

U.S. Budget Nearly Ready

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (INS)—Administration sources said today that President Truman will send to Congress a spending budget of about $85,000,000,000 for the coming fiscal year, including $60,000,000,000 for defense and foreign aid.

An effort is being made to complete the budget message in the next two or three days for submission to Congress on Jan. 21.

Reliable sources said it appears that the budget will shape up something like this:

Total government expenditures of close to $85,000,000,000 in the 1953 fiscal year, which begins July 1, and receipts at present tax rates of about $72,000,000,000. This would create a $13,000,000,000 deficit.

A request to the new session of Congress to appropriate something less than $60,000,000,000 for defense. Like previous appropriations, the new money voted by the lawmakers will be available for expenditure not only in the 1953 fiscal year but in subsequent years.

Sept Iles Blaze Damage Won't Delay Iron Work

SEPT ILES, Que., Jan. 8 (CP)—This busy little town of 3,600, jumping off spot for the Ungava iron ore development area, busied itself today with rebuilding plans only a few hours after a $1,000,000 fire struck at the industrial heart of the community.

A garage-warehouse, the town hall, a department store and smaller warehouses and sheds were destroyed Monday night by the fire which raged for more than four hours before it was checked.

Mayor Jack Layden said the Quebec government will be asked to help in rebuilding the town hall, which was uninsured.

Owners of other buildings, including the Quebec-Newfoundland Equipment and Supply Company and the North Shore Construction Company, discussed plans for rebuilding.

The fire broke out in the Quebec-Newfoundland Company's garage-warehouse building and for a while threatened to wipe out the whole town. Only one family, that of George Brown, was left homeless. The Browns, who lived in an apartment above the department store, went to the home of friends.

Tonight a stock of tires valued at $300,000 still burned in the ruins of the destroyed garage, but all danger of a further outbreak was over.

The fire will have little effect on the great iron mining development 300 miles to the north. Planes continued flying round trips regularly. Machine parts and other equipment lost can be replaced.

Bulldozer crews from the Iron Ore Company of Canada were credited with saving the town. The big machines smashed down small burning buildings, creating fire-breaks and piling huge mounds of snow about them.

The town's fire pumps were of little or no use. The 20-below weather froze the pumps. Thick ice in the bay that bends into Sept Iles from the St. Lawrence River 275 miles northeast of Quebec City made the water supply almost negligible.

Looting and robbery attempts broke out after the fire but were quickly halted by the authorities.

Four men found ransacking the ruins of the department store were arrested. Another was caught trying to break into the Sept Iles branch of La Banque Canadienne Nationale.

They were placed in a hut, some shackled, but Mayor Layden said four of the five escaped. The town jail, part of the town hall building, was destroyed in the fire.

Indonesia Weakened By Internal Bloodshed

JAKARTA, Indonesia, Jan. 2 (AP)—Gunfire and bloodshed helped create the Republic of Indonesia but the shooting hasn't stopped.

Two years after the nation's official birthday, a war is still going on. Indonesian is fighting Indonesian in the jungles of the steaming, sprawling archipelago and along its dusty roads.

President Soekarno won recognition for the Indonesian Republic on Dec. 27, 1949. Since the transfer of sovereignty, the Indonesian army has been fighting armed leftists. Moslem extremists, dissatisfied ex-freedom fighters, Amboinese separatists, Turk Westerling's mercenaries and ordinary bandits. The Amboinese and Westerling were defeated. The others remain.

The activities of thousands of armed subversives are the main reason why Indonesia, one of the richest countries in natural resources, is running into debt.

A responsible estimate of the combined strength of lawless elements is impossible. Guesses range from 5,000 to 20,000.

Most observers agree the subversive ranks have slimmed since the government arrested thousands of leftists last August.

There are leftist bands here, in various shades of red, but they don't make up the bulk of the anti-government guerrilla forces. Indonesia's Reds seek their obvious objectives through political agitation and infiltration of the nation's unstable labor unions, rather than armed resistance.

One evidence of Communist tactics is the Red infiltration into the Darul Islam, an organization of Moslem extremist warriors which always has been anti-Communist.

The Darul Islam is the most influential and most publicized of all Indonesian subversive organizations.

Leader is a Javanese Moslem fanatic, Kartosuwirjo, a former Dutch guerrilla chieftain who proclaimed his own Indonesian Moslem state in the small West Java town of Garut, in January, 1948.

Garut is still the hotbed of Darul Islam activities. Kartosuwirjo and his "government" live in the mountains just outside the town.

Oddities

ROME, Jan. 8 (Reuters)—Fiery Italian movie star Anna Magnani likes her acting realistic.

She had to slap an actor in a scene shot near here Monday night.

She slapped him. But she did not think the slap was good enough.

She slapped him again.

She went on slapping him for eight hours.

At last she said she was satisfied.

The actor, 41-year-old Arnaldo Mocchetti, staggered to hospital, where doctors said he would need medical treatment for at least five days.

CHESTER, Md., Jan. 8 (AP)—Ralph F. Swarts was being inaugurated Monday for his third term as mayor of Chester when a slight hitch halted the program temporarily.

The mayor arose and announced:

"We will now have the benediction by the Rev. R. Harry Dick."

The clergyman failed to come forward.

"The Reverend left," his wife finally whispered. "His parking time was expiring and he didn't want to get a ticket."

The program was continued without benefit of a benediction.

Sunken Tanker Blocks Harbor

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 8 (AP)—Four tankers bringing gasoline to rationed Buenos Aires were unable to reach port because a sunken tanker blocks the harbor channel. The tankers are at anchor outside the harbor.

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News in Review

(From AP, CP, INS, Reuters)

Several high-ranking officers in **Seoul** believe that Lieut.-Gen. James A. Van Fleet should take charge of the Allied truce negotiations at Panmunjom. "Van Fleet wouldn't bicker," one officer said. "He'd lay it on the line."

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In **London**, the League Against Cruel Sports has started gunning for Princess Margaret again, because she likes to take in the occasional fox hunt. Monday the League passed a resolution in London, went to a meet of the Buccleigh hounds. The league passed a resolution regretting that "she should grace with her presence a form of amusement which a large and ever-increasing number of Britons hold in detestation."

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Assets of $16,070,255 in a partial inventory of the estate of the late William Randolph Hearst, the noted publisher, were disclosed in **Los Angeles** when the document was filed in Superior Court.

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In **Washington**, the United States bureau of mines said its investigators have concluded that "an electric arc or spark from non-permissable electrical equipment" touched off the explosion which took 119 lives in a coal mine at West Frankfort, Ill., on Dec. 21.

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Included among honorary pallbearers at the funeral in **Hollywood** of Moe Sedway, Las Vegas gambling figure who died of a heart attack at Miami Beach, were Jerry Lewis, Dean Martin, Tony Martin, the Ritz brothers, the Marx brothers, Eddie Cantor, Danny Kaye, Frankie Laine and George Raft.

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Before leaving **Manila** on the way home to the United States from a tour of Korea, Francis Cardinal Spellman described Communists as enemies "of the dignity of Man" and likened Communism to an "octopus" that would enslave mankind.

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In **Toronto**, a topical note for citizens harassed by the transit strike was published: "Walking conditions: poor; snow and freezing temperatures."

Word Coming Soon On Universities' Aid

OTTAWA, Jan. 8 (CP)—The federal government, completing consultations with the provinces, shortly will announce regulations under which about $7,000,000 in federal subsidies will be distributed among Canadian universities.

This federal aid, approved by parliament, is in line with recommendations of the Massey Commission on Arts. It might have gone to the universities sooner, but for two questions:

What is a university? What is a student?

The two questions took up months of consideration by federal and provincial officials. Agreement finally has been reached and an order-in-council apportioning the payments will be passed shortly by government.

The new regulations likely will contain surprises for some higher schools of learning and disappointments for others.

Not all institutions which have applied for the grant will get it. Also, some junior colleges not considered universities in the strict sense of the word likely will have their applications approved.

The grants, recommended by the Royal Commission on Arts, to aid universities threatened by a financial crisis, will be made on the basis of 50 cents a head for total provincial population.

That is, Ontario, with the largest provincial population, will get the biggest part of the total. Ontario's population is about 4,000,000. That means the province will receive about $2,300,000.

This amount will be divided among the provincial universities on the basis of student registrations.

Universities on the prairies, with smaller student registrations, likely will get larger per-student grants.

At 50 cents a head, the provinces' likely share (with population in brackets):

British Columbia, $576,500 (1,153,059); Alberta, $468,000 (936,356); Saskatchewan, $414,000 (829,175); Manitoba, $386,000 (771,815); Quebec, $2,005,000 (4,010,235); New Brunswick, $256,000 (512,186); Nova Scotia, $319,000 (638,277); Prince Edward Island, $48,800 (97,787); Newfoundland, $178,800 (357,762).

France Leaderless As Pleven Defeated

PARIS, Jan. 8 (AP)—President Vincent Auriol worked today at the task of finding a prime minister for France. It appeared as if the country would be unable to act decisively on grave international questions for a month or more.

Premier Rene Pleven and his centre-coalition cabinet resigned Monday night after a 341-243 defeat in the national assembly on their 1952 budget proposals. The cabinet remained as a caretaker government until Auriol could find successors.

Most political observers thought the crisis might be a long one, leaving France virtually voiceless and without a government able to make decisions.

One important international question that might be delayed is the formation of a European army, which would put the Germans in uniform again as partners in western European defense.

The foreign ministers of the six European countries concerned are to meet in Paris only three weeks from now to complete their recommendations in time for submission on the Feb. 2 meeting of the North Atlantic treaty organization powers in Lisbon. Monday night's developments made it unlikely that France would be able to speak with authority on such a ticklish question before the deadline.

France already had asked that the N.A.T.O. meeting be delayed a week to give time for the national assembly to debate the European army proposal.

The doors of the Elysee Palace swung wide as old and familiar political faces trooped in to see the president. But the callers included no members of Gen. Charles de Gaulle's right-wing French People's Rally, which with 118 deputies is the largest group in the faction-split parliament.

Most observers thought the Gaullists would just sit back and watch the president's efforts for a while. The longer the crisis, the greater their chance of getting into power.

Army Plans Winter Camp

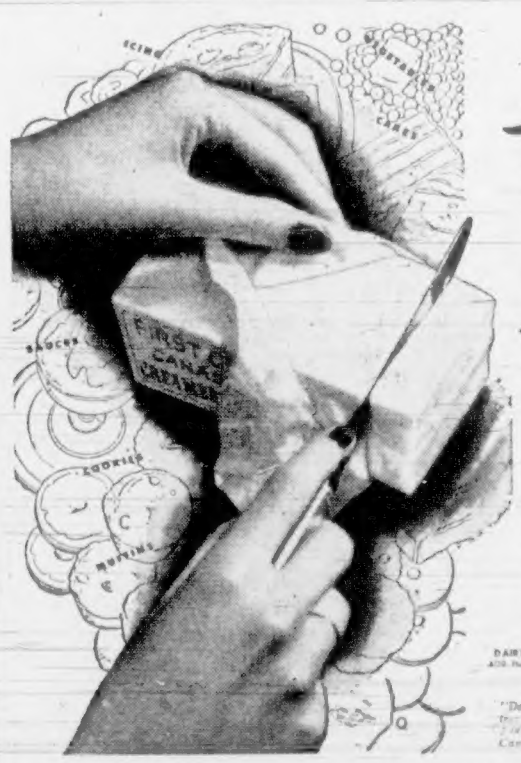
EDMONTON, Jan. 8 (CP)—Western Army Command announced today that a winter camp for army engineer reservists will open Feb. 4 at Chilliwack, B.C.

Dates for both winter and summer camps at the Royal Canadian School of Military Engineering, Chilliwack, and the Royal Canadian School of Artillery at Esquimalt were set at a staff officers' conference here.

About 160 reservists will attend camps in light and heavy anti-aircraft artillery, respectively, and about 55 in engineer camps. The reserves will be from the four western provinces.

The winter engineer camp starting Feb. 4 will last until Feb. 16. The summer camp will be July 6 to 19.

The light anti-aircraft winter camp was set for Feb. 18 to March 1. Heavy anti-aircraft reservists will camp March 3 to 15. Summer camp dates were: Light anti-aircraft, July 13 to 27, heavy July 28 to Aug. 10.



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Canada Must Develop Steel Industry To Achieve Great Future, Drew Says

TORONTO, Jan. 8 (CP)—Canada stands on the rim of a golden age which could zoom her population to 100,000,000 over the next years, George Drew said tonight.

But, said the Progressive Conservative leader, Canada can only fashion that future if she makes the greatest possible use of her natural resources — particularly iron ore — for industrial development at home rather than shipping them elsewhere.

He singled out iron ore and its use in greatly expanded steel production as the crucial factors. The United States should get all the Canadian iron ore she needs for rearmament defense purposes, "but every ton of iron ore we export means the export of that much employment, population and wealth at the same time," he said.

Mr. Drew told the Toronto Junior Board of Trade Canada has everything necessary to support 100,000,000 people—she has 14,000,000 now—yet five Canadians have left the country for every six immigrants entering in the last 10 years.

"The best way to keep Canadians in Canada and at the same time provide profitable employment for those who want to come then, of course, there can't be much of a problem.

"If, on the other hand, we decide that our legitimate self-interest demands that we make the highest possible use of our raw materials for industrial production in our own country, then . . . this is the beginning of Canada's greatest period of expansion."

possible use of our own raw materials in our country. It is not only employment at a high avage level which will keep the most ambitious of our young people in Canada," he said.

He criticized those who scoffed at his earlier prediction that Canada could multiply her steel output four times in 10 years as a key foundation move for the future.

The critics said it would cost $1,500,000,000 to do so, but that didn't discourage him, when one considered that Canada's national income last year was six times that, he said.

Iron and steel are the keys to industrial might. Almost limitless discoveries of iron ore confronted Canadians with the challenge of what they would do with it. It was a challenge such as Canadians had never faced if they accepted it, he said.

"If we are prepared to excavate and sell our ore for others to use,

Death Claim For $30,000 In Ship Fire

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 8 (AP)—An Edmonton man today asked $30,000 for the loss of his wife and daughter in the fire which swept the Danish motorship Erria near the mouth of the Columbia River Dec. 20.

Angus M. Brunlees asked $15,000 death damages for his wife, Kathleen, 46; the same sum for his daughter, six-year-old Elizabeth Mary, as well as $5,000 damages for his own injuries and $3,500 for loss of personal possessions.

Court records listed Brunlees' home as Edmonton, although earlier reports of the fire said the family was from Whitehorse, Y.T.

Eleven persons died in the fast-spreading fire, five of them Canadians.

Brunlees' suit said the vessel was operated carelessly and was not seaworthy. A Coast Guard hearing into the fire occupied a week recently. No findings have yet been announced.

His complaint filed with federal court by John D. Williams, who identified himself as administrator of the victims' estates said the vessels' officers did not sound a general alarm; did not hold fire drill earlier; did not send up rockets for help, and directed passengers to the ship's lounge, where eight of them died.

It said, too, that orders were given in Danish and not repeated in English for the benefit of passengers. Some of these points were discussed at the Coast Guard hearing and ship's officers said they did call out in English.

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Mayors Meet June 29-July 2

MONTREAL, Jan. 8 (CP)—The 1952 conference and annual meeting of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities will be held in Calgary June 29-July 2, it was announced today.

George S. Mooney, executive director of the federation, said the theme of the conference will be national security, including national and civil defense.

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He reported that this electronic ear enables the deaf to hear without any button showing in the ear, and without dangling battery wires.
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From Bonds to Codfish

MAYOR HARRISON covered a good deal of territory in his inaugural address to the new City Council on Monday, not all of which was within the limits of Victoria or its power to affect or control. The spectacle, for instance, of the council tilting against the two senior governments over the terms of union, the pelagic sealing treaty, ship subsidies, the West Coast Road, deepwater harbor developments and cod fisheries for Port Renfrew, and resigning to contest a provincial election if it did not get its way may be dramatic but it is scarcely within the realm of civic administration. Very little dust can be raised by flogging a dead horse as this city has found to its cost long ago, while new West Coast development would seem to be a Chamber of Commerce rather than a city issue.

Victoria's new chief magistrate was considerably more effective when he dealt with the financial position of the corporation and the need for a careful scrutiny of future outlays on capital and other works. Viewed in its proper perspective, which is that of a community which has added one-third to its population inside of the last decade, Victoria has a fiscal problem which will have to be managed with care. Both taxpayers and bondholders will support Mayor Harrison in his call for a clear-eyed view of this, in view of both the essential volume of service to be provided and the strictly limited revenues of the city even as the hub of a growing metropolitan area. Nor need there be any alarm in drawing attention to those facts, quite to the contrary.

His Worship stirred some doubt in his reference to the city manager system, Point Ellice bridge and some other civic issues. Lip-service to the city manager plan, which was in effect before he took office, does not seem to jibe with a return now to multiple council committees in three main groupings with the addition of an executive committee, like an inner cabinet within the council itself. If anything, this seems to promise more aldermanic interference with routine civic administration than before. The impression left by Mr. Harrison on the bridge matter is that the city will wait to see what governments do at the site. That may be a long wait. However, the year is young yet and there will be plenty of time for the new administration to develop its policies and explain them. Meanwhile the open-face method of handling civic business will be welcomed.

Keeping the Perspective

THE nail was hit on the head by Dr. Leonard C. Marsh when he said that a city should be attractive to tourists but that it should not be designed for that purpose alone. The U.B.C. extension lecturer was speaking in relation to town planning but his remark is applicable in relation to the tourist trade in general. In their enthusiasm to promote the flow of visitors publicity groups tend to lose sight of the fact that cities exist primarily for the people who live in them.

This is as true of Victoria as of any other place, even though this community derives considerable benefit from its reputation as a holiday centre. The tourist business here is important to the welfare of the community and it is right that it should be fostered by all legitimate means. There must be a happy mean, however. The perspective must not be lost. The thousands of children crowding the schools of this area are not to get their future out of tourists alone.

When the idea becomes prevalent that a city is mainly a show place for outsiders and that it should stay put solely for that purpose the road to stagnation has begun. Cities either go forward or go back, and the road ahead is not beacon lit if they sit still merely to let tourists gaze at them. This is not the case here exactly, but there have been times when it seemed that some of the effort expended to attract tourists would have paid dividends if devoted to the establishment of secondary industries.

In the matter of amenities, too, priority is due to the wishes and habits of residents. Dr. Marsh cited town planning as being basically the improvement of living, working and recreational conditions, and obviously these must be designed as they affect the citizens of any community and not their visitors. Tourists will probably continue to come to Victoria and a portion of civic effort should go to inducing them to come. The main prosperity of this area, however, will depend on the vigor and business enterprise of its inhabitants, as with all places in the final analysis.

Canada's Dollar Reaches Par

YESTERDAY the Canadian dollar reached parity with the United States dollar on the London market. The impressive aspect of this is that parity reflects not the fiat of governmental controllers but the opinion of buyers and sellers. It is their assessment of the Canadian dollar's worth.

It is mere coincidence that the attainment of parity should follow so closely on the removal of foreign exchange controls by the Dominion government last month. The real cause of the enhanced value accorded to our currency abroad dates back to the action of the government in September, 1950, in setting the dollar free, since when it has steadily appreciated in value through the interplay of economic forces in a free market and the flow of investment capital to this country from the United States.

The parity reached in London yesterday is altogether different from the fictitious parity with the U.S. dollar contrived in September, 1949, by decree of the peggers. The status our dollar has achieved solely by virtue of its own worth rather than governmental juggling is clear proof of the wisdom of allowing it to find its own level, instead of having it at the mercy of the currency tinkerers. The dollar's market value today also is a heartening index of the Dominion's economic strength.

With the dollar quoted at what it is worth in the open market there is reason to expect an increasing flow into Canada of the investment capital needed for the development of which the country is capable.

Readers' Forum

Letters to the editor on any topic of genuine interest are welcome if they are brief, accurate and fair. No letter will be inserted in whole, or in part, except over the signature and address of the writer. Unsolicited correspondence cannot be returned.

GRATITUDE EXPRESSED

Sir,—As a new Canadian, having lived in Victoria just six months, I would like to express my thanks and appreciation to all the kind people who helped to make Christmas happy. Amongst these, as a nurse, I would like to mention my patients and the staff at Mount St. Mary, the families who so kindly entertained the young men from the immigration department and Pastor Nygaard. I hope my English will improve in time and that my patients will continue to be contented with my work.

With best wishes to all my new friends for a happy new year.

URSULA BLAENKNER.

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STATUS OF AGRICULTURE

Sir,—The B.C. Federation of Agriculture have drawn to the attention of the provincial treasury board the alarm with which the farmers of this province view the apparent decreasing importance of agriculture in the minds of our provincial government.

Previous to their deciding on the 1952 estimates we drew the attention of the premier, the minister of finance, the attorney-general and the minister of municipal affairs, who make up the treasury committee, the decreasing percentages of the total provincial budget received by the department of agriculture, from 1.32 per cent in 1946 to .80 per cent in 1951.

While we recognize that agriculture in British Columbia is not expanding as fast as some of our other basic industries, it is only economically sound that it must be assisted to keep in step so that we can supply foodstuffs for the employees of these other industries. The other provinces in Canada, some of whom are also not predominantly agricultural, and whose economy is as diversified as that of British Columbia, have recognized this, as is shown by the fact that their departments of agriculture receive percentages of their provincial total budget ranging from 2 to 5.8 per cent.

The British Columbia department of agriculture does an excellent job with the money available, but it must be kept in mind that we have as many diversified types of agriculture and are faced with as many disease and marketing problems as either Ontario, who gives their department of agriculture 4.5 per cent of their budget, or Nova Scotia who gives 3.7 per cent.

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BISHOP GEORGE HILLS

Sir,—Jan. 6 is an important date in the history of the diocese of British Columbia. For Bishop George Hills, having been consecrated by the Archbishop of Canterbury on Feb. 24, 1859, in Westminster Abbey, arrived at Esquimalt by sea on Jan. 6, 1860, and walked through the deep mud to Victoria, where he called on Governor Douglas. The same day he conducted his first service in the district Christ Church, to a large congregation, mostly men. This was the beginning of diocesan work in the old Colony of British Columbia. Further details can be seen in the recently published history of the Cathedral. The Cathedral was consecrated on Dec. 7, 1865. Bishop Hills finally left Victoria on Nov. 3, 1892. He died on Dec. 10, 1895, and was buried in the churchyard at Parhamdin-Hacheston, Suffolk, England.

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MINES AT GLACE BAY

Sir,—In a recent issue of The Colonist there appeared under the caption "Where In the World," a syndicated item, "Is coal mined under the Atlantic Ocean," a bit about Glace Bay, N.S., correct for the first ten lines. The rest of the item is incorrect to absurdity. I worked in these mines or about them for 42 years. The shaft referred to as being within 60 feet of the shore is distant from this about half a mile. There are several mines in this area which are up to seven miles seaward.

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"I should avoid asking them things like what do they think of their first Christmas under a Tory Government?"
—London Daily Express.

Thinking Aloud

"... of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—of cabbages and kings."

By TOM TAYLOR

A WEDDING gift to the bride of the Great Montrose, in 1629, was a portrait of the young nobleman as he was then, but 17 years old. A wedding gift to a lady in Vancouver, in 1952, is reported to be the heart of the Great Montrose!

As this paladin of Scottish history stood waiting to be pushed off an Edinburgh scaffold by a sobbing hangman, "in his countenance so much beauty, majesty, and gravity," he knew well that his limbs would be scattered to Stirling, Glasgow, Perth and Aberdeen.

But his heart!

He was not to know the incredible odyssey of the steel casket that was to come, nor that it would end in a far-off city not yet imagined.

The tale began two days after his execution when friends of Montrose went by night to his grave and had his heart taken from his body. It was a pious act, done at the order of Lady Napier, wife of one of Montrose's great friends who was in exile on the Continent. The heart was embalmed and placed in a little egg-shaped case of steel made from the blade of Montrose's sword. This was enclosed in a gold filigree box.

The relic was sent to Montrose's son, the young Marquis, also in exile. Thus the wanderings started.

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The young Marquis was in Holland when he received the precious case. Time passed. Young Montrose returned to Scotland and entered the violent politics of his day. The famous heart was forgotten.

But many years after it turned up under surprising circumstances. The fifth Lord Napier, great-grandson of the Lady Napier who had put the heart in the egg-shaped case, was in Holland speaking to a Dutch friend. He told his friend the story of the Montrose heart, and lo and behold, the Dutchman knew a collector of antiques who had the very box in his possession!

Lord Napier took the treasure back with him to Scotland. Just before he died he gave it to his favorite daughter, then 16 years old. This daughter afterwards married a Samuel Johnson, about the year 1776. Johnson was an officer of the East India Company and when a few years later they went to India Mrs. Johnson took the filigree box with her.

En route their ship was attacked by a French squadron, whereupon she crammed the heart case into a velvet reticule. A shot struck one of the ship's guns and the splinters shattered the delicate gold box but left the steel case intact. In Madras she had the filigree work restored and the whole put into a silver urn.

This she kept on an ebony table. One day the urn disappeared. It was rumored that a certain rajah had bought it, but for 20 years it remained hidden.

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A son was born to the Johnsons and he grew up to hunting age. On a shoot with a native chief he saved the chief's life and the latter asked how he could show his gratitude. The young Johnson said if it were true that the chief possessed the missing Montrose heart his father would like to get it back. The chief handed it over.

More was yet to come. The Johnsons left India in 1792 to return home. As they crossed France they heard of the government order that no gold or silver must leave the country. Mrs. Johnson entrusted the urn to an Englishwoman in Boulonge who promised to forward it when revolutionary France had settled down. Napoleon came on the scene and England and France were at war until 1815. By that time the Englishwoman was dead and the heart had disappeared again. It was never traced.

But now comes word that it turned up in Wales not so very long ago and is now en route to Vancouver.

There is, however, one dissenting note. Some experts in London say the steel case no longer contains the heart of the Great Montrose, which would not be surprising. For in his biography of Montrose meticulous historian John Buchan documents his statement that the heart was restored to its owner's body in 1661, after the Restoration, when the great marquis was reburied with honor in St. Giles' Cathedral.

It was the egg-shaped case that had the odyssey, not the heart!

Atomic Warfare and Its Aspects

By JAMES AUDAIN, Victoria

—This is the second of a series of articles on atomic, biological and chemical warfare specially written for The Colonist by Mr. Audain on his return from the recent course in ABC warfare conducted at the Royal Canadian Army Medical School at Camp Borden. The articles were written with the concurrence of Major-General C. B. Stein, British Columbia civil defence coordinator, since preparing them Mr. Audain has joined the provincial civil defence organization as an instructor.

AN enemy attack on this country would possess four main objects: 1, to break the people's will to resist; 2, to disrupt production of essential war material; 3, to destroy public utilities; 4, to hinder government functioning at all levels.

Of all possible weapons, attack by atomic bomb is chief. The atomic bomb differs from ordinary high explosive in: (a) mechanical injuries (blast effects); (b) heat, (c) radiation.

The protective qualities of common structural materials against blast heat and radiation have been extensively studied and are well-known. Steel and concrete of reasonable thickness are, for example, good shields. Within one mile of the epicentre (centre of the explosion) damage from blast is very heavy; even stout steel and concrete are severely damaged. Persons within this radius are killed or beyond help.

From one to two miles damage is heavy; modern structures stand up to some degree; some fatal casualties but a higher proportion of survivors. From two to three miles damage is moderate, with fewer casualties. Beyond three miles blast damage is slight. Thus we have the best protection against blast found in (a) deep shelters, (b) heavy steel and concrete buildings.

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Heat Effects—(a) Flash burn as distinguishable from ordinary flame burn occurs up to three miles from the epicentre; exposed skin is most effected. The thermal and ultra-violet rays emitted at the time of burst are not very penetrating and can be stopped or their effects lessened by shielding—clothing etc. Loose, white clothing is most effective. Dark, tight-fitting clothing is to be guarded against. Even a newspaper would be partial protection against thermal rays, for it would burst into flame and absorb the heat. (b) Protection against flame burns is found in shelter and fireproof buildings. Secondary fires from the burst are a major hazard.

It is believed that about half the heat waves are emitted from the epicentre at the exact instant of explosion and the remainder during the next three seconds.

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Radiation—Penetrating gamma radiation is best guarded against by distance and by shielding. The greater the distance from the burst the less the effect on the body from radiation.

Within one and one-quarter miles from the epicentre all unshielded persons would receive a killing dose of radiation. Outside of two-mile radius there is little danger from radiation. Between, the effects are moderate.

Any shielding is better than none. Concrete, brick, stone and steel are efficient shields against gamma radiation, so that buildings, walls and shelters of these materials afford good protection.

Again it is estimated that about half the damaging radiation is given off at the very millisecond of explosion and the remainder during the next nine to 10 seconds.

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Fall-Out (radioactive cloud)—This is obviously more dangerous in surface and sub-surface bursts than in aerial bursts. Its path can be forecast by meteorological methods for a given explosion. Best protection is afforded by remaining in closed shelters till radioactivity has worn off to a safe level (probably about four hours).

Ground Contamination—Early danger in an aerial burst decreases rapidly with time. Teams of monitors with Geiger counters and ion chambers (instruments used for measuring radioactivity intensity) will establish when the ground is safe for entry.

Radioactive aerosols can be taken into the lungs or body by inhalation or ingestion—these constitute a grave danger, hence persons exposed to burst should avoid eating, drinking, smoking or chewing and seek early decontamination with medical examination. Rescue workers and monitor teams whose duties call upon them to undergo exposure to radiation should wear protective clothing and respirators and also film badges to show quantity of radiation received, and carry dosimeters.

Radiation Safety Rules—(a) At moment of blast seek shelter, (b) If respirator, (c) do not eat, drink, smoke or chew, (d) seek early decontamination, (e) have medical examination as soon as possible.

The ideal clothing for persons subject to atomic bombing is flash proof outer garments, asbestos paper covers together with a gas mask to which is attached a flashproof hood to cover the neck and shoulders. Flash proof gloves should be worn.

Prompt warning services are essential. When an enemy airplane or missile is close protective clothing should be donned and if possible enter the prepared shelter which would ideally have zig-zag entrance bays, with blast walls to deflect pressure waves and block radiations and adequate overhead dirt cover above steel domes. Decontamination centres should be set up and all persons exposed or believed to have been exposed to go through a careful check.

Respirators can retain radioactive particles. If enough are caught in the canister or filter, the respirator should be monitored and canister changed, if dangerously active.

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Self Protection and Aid to Wounded

Seek shielding at the instant of burst—the nearest and most solid material. Remember even shadow is protection to some extent against flashburn.

Try to determine approximate epicentre of burst. Observe burst level.

If rendering assistance to nearby wounded, apply ordinary first aid measures less giving water, food or tobacco (radiation danger). Adjust respirator against radioactive dust. Give injured overhead protection from "fall-out" dangers. Warn against eating, drinking, chewing. If walking wounded, direct to decontamination centre or first aid post. No person but the medical officer is qualified to make a formal diagnosis, but the observant and informed man or woman possessed of common sense may, by alertness and direction, bring many persons to professional care.

All persons may be suspected of having sustained radioactive injury who: (a) Were within a mile and a quarter of the epicentre of the burst, (b) were within the "fall-out" area of surface or sub-surface burst, (c) were not decontaminated, (d) were negligent of the rules of protection.

The following symptoms may be indicative of radioactive sickness: (a) Transient feeling of illness on the first or second day, especially vomiting, (b) evidence of flashburn or reddened skin, (c) loss of appetite, (d) abdominal pains, (e) diarrhea, especially passage of blood, (f) relief from illness for two days then recurrence of symptoms, (g) excessive palor, (h) falling hair, especially from scalp, (i) sore gums, throat or mouth, (j) haemorrhage into the skin, or from body cavities, (k) fever, (l) dryness of the mouth or skin, (m) slow healing and infection of injuries.

Such persons must have medical treatment at once without argument. Hardy individuals may carry on with their symptoms for a time but tardiness is soon shown up as foolishness and their chances of recovery are much lessened.

By way of interest, the medical officer makes his diagnosis from the history of the exposure, including distance and shielding, by survey of symptoms, by physical signs, by blood counts and other means.

It cannot be too greatly stressed that the storage of large quantities of blood plasma for use in emergencies is of the utmost importance.

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It may be considered that radiation injuries are gone into a little too deeply for the layman but on the principle that a new and for the most part little-known threat is often apt to carry mysteries which do not exist, it is deemed advisable to give a general outline of the symptoms that would be likely to appear in a population subject to atomic bombing.

The myths that have been circulated from time to time about the effect of radioactivity on the reproductive system can be very largely discounted. There may be a short period of sterility in persons who have been very highly exposed but this would return to complete normality before very long, and the story that the atom bombs in Japan had left behind a race of monsters is absolute nonsense.

However, the radioactive threat does exist and hence it cannot be too much to stress the importance of thorough decontamination.

The main methods are: (a) Removal of contaminated materials and articles and controlled disposal, (b) removal of the contaminant and controlled disposal, (c) shielding, (d) natural decay.

Chief materials used are water, chemicals, organic and inorganic acids, solvents (alcohol, petrol etc.), detergents, abrasive material (wet sand etc.), steam, under pressure.

—The purpose of decontamination is the reduction of the hazard to personnel, etc., and it can be described as the actual removal of radioactive contaminable material from a person or structure and its controlled disposal.

Food and water are especially necessary articles to keep clean and free from contamination by radioactive substances; it is advisable to keep a supply of tinned or canned foods together with fresh water in stoppered bottles at hand for all times of such emergency. Cartons and paper covers are of no use in such cases.

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Although radioactive casualties occupy a considerable part of the work program of the medical authorities after an atom bomb raid and number from 15 to 20% of overall casualties, it would not be well to lose sight of the fact of the immense number of casualties resulting from burns and mechanical injuries, of which most of these 80% would require immediate treatment. Therefore first aid training would be at a premium, medical authorities would be swamped and the services of such organizations as St. John Ambulance and the Red Cross would be of the highest importance.

The magnitude of the threat of atomic bombing involves organization on the national scale. This is attainable by one of two methods, viz., a strong central authority with conscriptive and compulsive powers or a decentralized administration in which each level of government municipal, provincial, federal accepts responsibility for its own protection and functions in close co-operation with others through normal already existing channels.

The latter is far better suited to our country than dictatorial methods. It involves use of the valuable services of volunteer organizations (St. John Ambulance, Red Cross, etc) and ensures close and easy tie-up of these organizations with the government and themselves.

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One of the many factors which civil defense planners must consider and perhaps the most important of all is the public education program to inform the people of the threatened danger, to teach them protective measures, to instruct them in functions and modus operandi of the organizations designed to help them; and last but not least to watch for any saboteur action and defeat the aims at subversion by the 17,000 known Communists in our midst.

(Friday: Biological Warfare)

The Packsack

Of GREGORY CLARK

IN cities, the old mansions of the tycoons of bygone days are generally located well into what is now the downtown area.

Few of them are still employed as residences, even for roomers. They have for the most part been converted into shoppes on their ground floors, and offices, studios and workshops on the other levels. A great many of these formerly palatial residences, of course, have long ago been razed to make way for downtown buildings of all kinds.

In the towns and villages, the old mansions still stand, as mansions; some of them still owned and occupied by third or fourth generations of the families that built them.

Tycoons rarely if ever build mansions any more. They content themselves with bungalows, a little more lavish than others, but still bungalows. Their extra cost goes into equipment and labor-saving devices intended to attract and hold domestic help, or else to make it possible for the well-to-do housewife to run the place without help.

For it is not any antipathy towards living in large houses on the part of the comfortably-off that has caused the decay of mansions. There was a sense of security in having a job in a big house that appealed to a great many of those who worked in domestic service, for small wages, back in the days of our mansions. There are other forms of security now as well as an immense variety of jobs far more attractive and with ever so much more social dignity than domestic work. Mansions are obsolete.

Stock Quotations

Canadian Industrials

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi, pf	35½	36½
Abitibi, pf	35½	36½
Acadia Atlantic	5¾	6¼
Acadia Atlin A	17	17½
Acadia Atl., pf	98	99
Agnew-Surpass	9½	10½
Algoma Steel	52	53½
Aluminium	105¾	106¼
Aluminium, pf	24	25
Anglo-Huronian	12¾	13¼
Argus Corp	12¾	13¼
Argus Corp. pf	85	86
Asbestos Corp	24½	24½
Ashdown Hrd A	12¾	17
Ashdown Hrd B	16	17
Atlas Steel	32¾	33¾
Bathurst A	51¾	52¾
Bathurst B	31½	32
Beatty Bros	9¾	9¾
Bell Telephone	38½	39¼
Blue Ribbon	22½	23
Brantford Cbd A	16½	17
Brantford Cbd B	11¾	12
Brazil Tract	4¾	4¾
B-A Oil	21¾	21¾
BC Elec 4% pf	79	80
BC Elec 4½% pf	96	97
BC Forest Pr	17¾	17¾
BC Packers A	19	19¼
BC Packers B	17	18¼
BC Power A	32¾	33
Do B	32	33
Brown Co	13¾	14¼
Do 1st Pfd	107¼	107¾
Do 2nd Pfd	36¾	37
Brck Mills A	18	18½
Do B	9	10½
Building Prod	34	35
Building Steel	20	21
Burns Co A		38
Do B	31¾	32¾
Bur Drydock A	8¼	8½
Can Cement	34	35½
Do Pfd	27	27½
Can Iron Fndy	20¼	20¾
Can Malting	49	50
Can Nerb Pow	19	19¼
Can Packer A	33	34½
Do B	26	26¾
Can Permoan	48½	50
Can Steamship	33	35
Do Pfd	48	47
Can Wire A	16½	17
Do B	84	86
Can Breweries	19¼	19¾
Can Bronze pf	100	
Can Canners	32¾	33
Can Cr & Fnd	15	16
Can Cr Fnd A	16	17¼
Can Celanese	34¼	34¾
Do $1.75 pfd	35	35½
Do $1.00 pfd	31½	32
Can S Aviation	31	32
Can Gen Invst	23	23½
Can Indus	43½	44¼
Can Loco	20½	21
Can Oil	26¾	27
C P R	24¾	24¾
Can Vickers	15¾	15¾
Can West Lum	10¾	10¾
Can Wirebnse	78	82
Chatco Steel	17¾	18
Do Pfd	85	85
Coast Copper	7	7½
Cockshutt P	23¾	24
Cons M & S	186¼	187¼
Cob Farm	35	36
Consmrs Gas	141	142
Corbys A	11¾	12
Do B	11¾	12
Cosmos Imp	28	28
Craig Bit	35	36
Davis Leath A	16½	17
Do B	7	7½
Dist Seagrams	25¾	25¾
Dom Bridge	72½	74
Dom F and B	11¾	12
Do pfd	97	98½
Dom Mgnsm	11	12
Dom Sti & C	17¾	18
Dom Stores	11¾	13
Dom Tr & Ch	81	81¾
Do pfd	19	20
Dom Textile	13	13¾
Dom Woollens	7	7¾
Donna Paper	27¾	
Dryden Paper	49	53
Eddy Paper A	24	25¼
T H Kork pfd	20	
Famous Plyrs	16¼	17
Fanny Farmer	24½	25
Federal Grain	12¾	13
Fleet Mfg	19½	19½
Ford of Can A	32	32¾
Fraser Co	19¾	19¾
Do pfd	102	102½
Gatineau Pwr	17¾	18
Do 5% pfd	97½	98
Gen Bld Wares	15¾	15¾
Do pfd	97	98
Goodyear Tire	94	98
Do pfd	47	48
Grt Lks Paper	20¾	20¾
Grt W Coal A	8¾	9
Gypsum Lime	38	39
Hamilton B	15	15½
Hamilton C	24	25½
Harding Car	8¾	9
Hayes Steel	21	22
Hinde Dauche	27½	29
Howard Smith	53¼	54
Imp Oil	37¾	38
Imp Tobacco	19¾	19¾
Do 4% pfd	87½	88
Indust Accept	35¾	36½
Inter Bronze		19
Do pfd	20½	21
Int Metals A	41¾	41¾
Inter Nickel	43¾	43¾
Inter Paper	48	49
Inter Pete	29¾	30¼
Inter Util	25	25½
Kelvinator	14¾	14¾
Lanettes	17¾	18
Lake of Woods	12	13
Lang	13	14
Laura Secord	19¼	19¾
Loblaw A	31	31¾
Do B	32¾	33½
McMillan A	25½	26
Do B	25½	26
Mailman C	14	14½
Maple Leaf M	8¾	8¾
Massey Harris	13¾	13¾
Mctfoll Front	43½	43¾
Do pfd	89	90½
Mercury Mills	200	200
Milton Brick	180	190
M & C Paper	27¼	27¾
Robert Mitchell	30½	31
Molson's A	27	27
Monarch Knit	16¼	17
Montr Locos	48½	49
Moore Corp	36	37
National Brew	16¾	17¼
National Drug	8¼	8¾
Natnl Drg. pf	11½	12
National Grcrs	13¾	14½
Natnl Hsry A	10	10
Natnl Hsry B	9¼	9¾
Nin Bll Cr	29	29¾
Niagara Wr W	31	
Ogilvie Flour	35¼	36
Ontario Steel	36	36
Orange Crush	400	425
Page Hersey	44½	45½
Penmans	53	54
Powell River	24¾	25
Power Corp	31	32
Price Bros	33	33¾
Purity Flour	9	11
Do pfd	51¾	54
Provo Bulk A		28½
Do B	15	15
Russell Indus	22½	22¾
St Law Corp	10¾	10¾
Shawinigan A	46	47
Shea's Brew A	14½	14¾
Do B	28½	28¾
Sick's Bw com	19	20½
Do VT	19	19½
Sprwd Drs A	8¾	9¼
Simpson's A	32¾	33
Do B	29	29½
Slater Co	34½	35
Southam Co	18	18
Std Paving	15¾	16
Do pfd	27½	28
Std Brick A	7	7¼
Stedman	16½	17¼
Std of Can com		33¾
Do pfd	34¼	35¼
Superior com	28	28
Tamblyn	31¾	32
Taylor Pnn	4¾	5¼
Do pfd	11¾	12¾
Tip Top Tins	23½	24
Trds Finan A	28¾	28¾
Union Gas	20	20¼
United Corp A	28¾	
Do B	41	41
United Fuel A	33½	34
United Steel	16¾	16¾
Hiram Walker	51¾	51¾
Westeel	21	22
West Can Bw	17	17½
West Grocers	42	44
Do A	34	36
George Weston	31	32
Do pfd	95	96½
Wstg Electric	78¾	80
York Knitting	5½	8
C I P	710	

BANKS

Montreal	23¾	30
Nova Scotia	36¾	37

Toronto Mines, Oils

OILS

	Bid	Asked
Ajax	154	160
Anglo Canadian	850	870
Calmont	170	172
Calvan	540	560
Canada South	560	600
Can Atlantic	660	670
Central-Ledue	264	265
Charter Oil	170	140
Commonwealth	410	425
Davies	44	53
Devon Ledue	220	225
Del Rio	193	200
Dome Explstn	930	950
East Crest	72	75
Federated	840	850
Gridoil	17	17½
Home Oil	17	17¾
Jupiter	300	310
Keyo	150	160
Ledue Cons	45	48
Long Island	18	19
Mid-Continent	67	69
Model Oil	200	205
National Pete	245	250
New Brush Dev	270	275
Oil Selections	13	14
Okalta	380	390
Pacific Pete	10	10½
Pal Western	415	430
Ranger-Pendby	12	13
Royalite	98	101½
Roxana	52	55
Scurry	230	235
Scty Finld	225	230
Selburn	170	180
Superior	131	133
Ticker Pete	36	38
Trans Empire	415	440
Trend	42	45
United Oil	290	300
Warrn Hmsd	300	305

MINES

Beattie	100	110
Bidgood Kirk	140	145
Bobjo	18	19
Brantoro	800	820
Bruinlan	145	147
Buff Anacrite	138	139
Bulolo Addison	10	13
Bull Dl Ber	88	90
Calmor Wilsn	100	105
Columac	7	8½
Consvct	230	240
Cons Realty	18	23
Cons Duquesne	10	13
Crownx	30	35
Discovery Y K	46	50
Dome Mines	17	17½
Dunalda	48	50
East Malartic	95	100
East Sullivan	910	975
Elder	52	55
Elanco	50	53
Eldona	20	21
Equity	124	137
Falconbridge	12	13¾
Frobisher	100	400
Giant Yellwkf	19½	20
Giuts Lake	40	41
Gold Manitou	700	710
Harricana	13	16
Hasaforck	12	13
Hasaga	28	34
Hollinger	15	15¾
Hoyle	5	6
Hudson B Min	61	61¾
Indian Lake	3¼	3¾
Inspiration	36	42
Joliet Quebec	43	44
Kerr Addison	17¾	18
Kirkland Lak	76	80
Labrador	800	870
Lake Dufault	78	83
Lake Osu	20	25
Lake Wasa	20	35
Lamaque	66	680
Lavalle	18	18
Laxsmore	12	13¾
Leitch Gold	170	175
Little L Lac	76	80
Lingman Lake	31	34
Louvicourt	10	15
Lorx Yonrex	12	14
McDonald	95	102
McIntyre	47	48½
McKenzie R L	45	49
Mid. Cskebut	295	305
Marwan	186	192
Markeno	150	155
Matson R L	105	110
Mairt Gold	180	185
Mining Corp	18¾	19¼
Monesk	33	35
Negus	66	70
New Calumet	300	319
New Dickson	140	145
New Jacobs	4	5
New Lund	130	135
Nipissing	205	209
Nisto	16	17
Noranda	93¼	93¾
Numerels	500	510
O'Brien Gold	178	178
Obalski Lake	190	192
Pamour Pore	76	80
Paymaster	55	60
Perron Gold	74	80
Pickle Crow	180	185
Powell Rouyn	86	87
Preston	138	145
Quebec Manl	134	140
Quemont	37	38
San Antonio	250	260
Senator	20	22
Sheep Creek	166	175
Shet Gordon	450	485
Shylock	42	46
Sigma	705	730
Silver Miller	140	145
Silver Pld	250	255
Sisco Gold	66	70
Sladen Malar	42	43
Starratt Olsen	53	57
Steeprock	700	715
Sullivan	319	330
Sylvanite	125	130
Teck Hughes	210	220
Toburn	28	30
Trans Can Res	53	56
Upper Can	172	180
United Keno	11¾	12
Ventures	14¾	15
Wall Amulet	13	13¾
Wright Hrgv	162	170
Yellwkf Bear	150	170
Yale L and Z	46	52
Yukeno	108	112

UNLISTED

Amac	93	100
August Pete	10	15
Aurora	33	65
Beacon	14	18
B. Ore	4	7
Can Superior	11¾	12
Central Man	8	11
Clear Pete	42	47
Chvrk Keno	28	32
Captain	2	3
Emmitt	30	35
Goldfields U	65	80
Horne Fault	7	11
Husky	800	
Jet Oils	15	51
Kamlar	17	20
Lasalle	2	4
Lon Echo	6	10
Lingmore	2	4
Midland	2	20
Minalta	0.42	47
Mt. Kemo	35	45
Nat Labine	145	155
Nechena	470	480
Nib	2	3
Obaska	4	11
Pamalta	9	11
Parmac	7	15
P N S O	390	415
Radiore	75	81
Rand Mitic	2	3
Rainbo Cons	55	60
Vaure Dufault	10	15
Vermil Cons	20	25

Vancouver Listed

OILS

	Bid	Asked
Anaconda Oil	18	18½
Anglo-Can	835	875
Bailey	20	22
Britalta Pete	470	475
C & E Corp	13	14
Calgmont	168	170
Calmont	170	172
Calvan	540	560
Central Ledue	270	275
Charter Oil	132	138
Commonwealth	410	425
Consmrs Gas	141	142
Corbys A	11¾	12
Do B	11¾	12
Cosmos Imp	28	28
Craig Bit	35	36
Davis Leath A	16½	17
Do B	7	7½
Dist Seagrams	25¾	25¾
Dom Bridge	72½	74
Dom F and B	11¾	12
Do pfd	97	98½
Dom Mgnsm	11	12
Dom Sti & C	17¾	18
Dom Stores	11¾	13
Dom Tr & Ch	81	81¾
Do pfd	19	20
Dom Textile	13	13¾
Dom Woollens	7	7¾
Donna Paper	27¾	
Dryden Paper	49	53
Eddy Paper A	24	25¼
T H Kork pfd	20	
Famous Plyrs	16¼	17
Fanny Farmer	24½	25
Federal Grain	12¾	13
Fleet Mfg	19½	19½
Ford of Can A	32	32¾
Fraser Co	19¾	19¾
Do pfd	102	102½
Gatineau Pwr	17¾	18
Do 5% pfd	97½	98
Gen Bld Wares	15¾	15¾
Do pfd	97	98
Goodyear Tire	94	98
Do pfd	47	48
Grt Lks Paper	20¾	20¾
Grt W Coal A	8¾	9
Gypsum Lime	38	39
Hamilton B	15	15½
Hamilton C	24	25½
Harding Car	8¾	9
Hayes Steel	21	22
Hinde Dauche	27½	29
Howard Smith	53¼	54
Imp Oil	37¾	38
Imp Tobacco	19¾	19¾
Do 4% pfd	87½	88
Indust Accept	35¾	36½
Inter Bronze		19
Do pfd	20½	21
Int Metals A	41¾	41¾
Inter Nickel	43¾	43¾
Inter Paper	48	49
Inter Pete	29¾	30¼
Inter Util	25	25½
Kelvinator	14¾	14¾
Lanettes	17¾	18
Lake of Woods	12	13
Lang	13	14
Laura Secord	19¼	19¾
Loblaw A	31	31¾
Do B	32¾	33½
McMillan A	25½	26
Do B	25½	26
Mailman C	14	14½
Maple Leaf M	8¾	8¾
Massey Harris	13¾	13¾
Mctfoll Front	43½	43¾
Do pfd	89	90½
Mercury Mills	200	200
Milton Brick	180	190
M & C Paper	27¼	27¾
Robert Mitchell	30½	31
Molson's A	27	27
Monarch Knit	16¼	17
Montr Locos	48½	49
Moore Corp	36	37
National Brew	16¾	17¼
National Drug	8¼	8¾
Natnl Drg. pf	11½	12
National Grcrs	13¾	14½
Natnl Hsry A	10	10
Natnl Hsry B	9¼	9¾
Nin Bll Cr	29	29¾
Niagara Wr W	31	
Ogilvie Flour	35¼	36
Ontario Steel	36	36
Orange Crush	400	425
Page Hersey	44½	45½
Penmans	53	54
Powell River	24¾	25
Power Corp	31	32
Price Bros	33	33¾
Purity Flour	9	11
Do pfd	51¾	54
Provo Bulk A		28½
Do B	15	15
Russell Indus	22½	22¾
St Law Corp	10¾	10¾
Shawinigan A	46	47
Shea's Brew A	14½	14¾
Do B	28½	28¾
Sick's Bw com	19	20½
Do VT	19	19½
Sprwd Drs A	8¾	9¼
Simpson's A	32¾	33
Do B	29	29½
Slater Co	34½	35
Southam Co	18	18
Std Paving	15¾	16
Do pfd	27½	28
Std Brick A	7	7¼
Stedman	16½	17¼
Std of Can com		33¾
Do pfd	34¼	35¼
Superior com	28	28
Tamblyn	31¾	32
Taylor Pnn	4¾	5¼
Do pfd	11¾	12¾
Tip Top Tins	23½	24
Trds Finan A	28¾	28¾
Union Gas	20	20¼
United Corp A	28¾	
Do B	41	41
United Fuel A	33½	34
United Steel	16¾	16¾
Hiram Walker	51¾	51¾
Westeel	21	22
West Can Bw	17	17½
West Grocers	42	44
Do A	34	36
George Weston	31	32
Do pfd	95	96½
Wstg Electric	78¾	80
York Knitting	5½	8
C I P	710	

BANKS

Montreal	23¾	30
Nova Scotia	36¾	37

Vancouver Unlisted

MINES

	Bid	Asked
Big Bell	60	
Big Missouri	2	
Bluebird	19	20
Cay Bird new	11	12
Hedley Amal	11¾	
Hedley Mon	31¾	
Hedley Yuk	4	5¼
National Ex	28	30
Rea Copper	20	25
Reno	3	
Saddle Arabian	33	
Sand Vlley new	19	20
Taylor Wind	1	2
Twin J	1	2
Weeks	1	
Whitewater	2¾	3

OILS

Alliance	3¾	4
Arrow	1¾	2
Bralorne	1¾	
Coastal	114	129
Diamond	115	
Hanna Pete	23¾	24¼
Leduc Calmar	123	124
Leduc Cons	48½	49
McLeod	3	4
Midland	15	18
New Hanchman	13¾	14¼
Royal Vly	88	100
United	103	105

New York Market

Allied Chemicals	75¾
American Can	114½
American Tobacco	69¾
American Smelter	61¾
American Tel & Tel	155
American Gas & Elec	60¾
Anaconda Copper	50
Anchored Trucks	74¼
Amer Home Products	18¾
Atlantic Coast Line	76¼
B & O Railway	18¾
Beth Steel	55
Baltimore & Ohio	15¾
Columbia Gas	15¾
CPR	24¾
C & O Railway	34¾
Chrysler	63¾
Can Celanese	23¾
Corn Edison	31¾
Corn Products	39¾
Detroit Edison	30¾
Douglas	45¾
Eastman Kodak	48¾
Erie RR	11¾
General Foods	43¾
General Electric	53¾
General Motors	83¾
Goodyear Tire	47¾
Great Northern	34¾
Gulf Oil	34¾
Houston L & P	25¾
Int Harvester	45¾
Int T & T	12¾
Int Nickel	43¾
Johns-Manville	69¾
Kennecott Copper	63¾
Loews Theatre	13¾
Nati Distillers	24¾
New York Central	18
Norfolk Western	87¾
Northern Pacific	41¾
Ohio Oil	34¾
Pan Am Pet	34¾
Penn Railway	18¾
Penn Cola	16
Procter Gamble	66¾
Pub Svg. NJ	24¾
Radio	24¾
Republic Steel	41¾
Reynolds Tobacco	42¾
Standard Brands	13¾
Standard Oil, NJ	73¾
Sears Roebuck	36¾
Socony	34¾
Southern Pacific	61¾
Sou Cal Edison	28¾
Southern Railway	49¾
Tri-Cont	17¾
Texas Corp	86¾
Union Carbide	65¾
Union Pacific	104
United Aircraft	32¾
US Steel	43¾
Westinghouse Elec	43¾
Woolworth	42¾

Stock Prices Slip Lower In Montreal, New York

By A.P. and C.P.

A bearishly cautious attitude in the New York stock market Tuesday put prices on the skids for the second time this week.

Losses were not pronounced, but they were spread out all over the list.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks declined 80 cents at $98.70. Turnover was 1,390,000 shares.

Slightly firmer support toward the close checked declining prices in Toronto.

Retail stores attracted most support in industrials, while steels, foods, textiles and manufacturing companies held gains and losses in balance. Utilities, agricultures, banks and miscellaneous industrials showed a majority of losses, while papers, constructions, liquors and refining oils dipped sharply.

Volume for the session was about 2,500,000 shares.

Western oils moved erratically. Base metals remained weak.

Senior golds posted seven losses against one gain. Secondary issues eased.

With little apparent selling pressure, stock prices settled lower near the close on the Montreal Stock Exchange and Curb Market. Volume was off from the moderate opening pace.

Fractional declines held sway from the opening.

Steels formed the weakest group. Papers, senior metals and miscellaneous industrials edged lower. Senior oils and carriers were shaded.

Mines followed the industrial market lower.

Western oils showed small losses.

Trading was slow on the Vancouver Stock Exchange. The price trend was mixed at the close. Some oils posted small gains.

Prices were irregular and mostly lower in dull trading on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange in response to a lower trend on United States markets.

Export loadings of Canadian wheat were confined to 500,000 bushels for the United Kingdom.

Stock Quotations

By:

A. E. Ames & Co.
T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd.
Hagar Investments, Ltd.
H. A. Humber, Ltd.
Investment Dealers' Association
James Richardson & Sons

Closing Averages

Dow Jones closing averages:	
30 Indusls.	268.66 off 1.68
20 Rails	82.09 off 1.02
15 Utilities	48.00 up .04
65 Stocks	97.66 off .64
Sales: 1,890,000.	
Toronto averages:	
Industrials	344.90 down 2.25
Golds	83.54 down .61
B. Metals	195.78 down 1.46
W. Oils	127.09 down .62
Sales, 2,416,000.	
Montreal averages:	
Industrials	229.7 down 1.1
Utilities	87.7 down 0.1
Golds	68.34 down .54
P. & Paper	809.79 up 6.09
Sales, 350,100.	

Egg Market

To producer:

Grade A large	43c
Grade A medium	40c
Grade A small	32c
Grade B	27c
Wholesale	
Grade A large	56c-57c
Grade A medium	51c-52c
Grade A small	50c
Grade B	

Grain Prices

WINNIPEG

	Open	High	Low	Close	Pr Cl.
Oats					
May	95⅞	96⅞	95⅝	96⅝	
July	91⅝	91⅝	90¾	90¾	91⅝
Oct	85¾	86¾	85¾	87¼	86⅛
Barley					
May	136¾	139¼	136¼	138⅝	138⅝
July	127¾	129½	127⅝	129⅝	128⅛
Oct	121¾	121⅝	120⅝	121	121½
Flax					
May	218	218¾	214⅝	214⅞	215⅝
July	208¾	210⅞	208⅛	209⅝	209⅝
Oct				196¾	196¾
Rye					
May	388¼	401¼	439¼	393¾	396⅝
July	400	403	400	403	401
Oct				403	403

Winnipeg cash grain: Oats, No. 2 c.w. 87c; track not. Barley, No. 2 c.w. 141¾c, track, Ont. No. 3, 138¾c, track. Flax, No. 1 c.w. 389¾, track, 406¾.

CHICAGO

Wheat					
March	258⅛	260⅝	257½	257⅝	
May	255⅝	257	254⅝	255	
July	247¾	249⅛	247	247	
Corn					
March	191¼	193⅝	191	191⅝	
May	193⅝	194½	192	192	
July	192¾	194	192	192⅝	
Oats					
March	95	96⅛	95	95⅛	
May	92⅞	93	92¾	93⅛	
July	90¾	91⅛	90	90¼	
Rye					
May	210¾	212⅛	210¾	211¾	
July	206¾	208⅛	206¾	208⅛	
September					194½

Dividends Declared

East Sullivan Mines Ltd., 25c, April 15, March 15.

Sullivan Consolidated Mines Ltd., 10c, April 19, March 19.

Canadian Breweries Ltd., 25c, April 1, Feb. 29.

Dollars Even In London

LONDON, Jan. 8 (Reuters)—The Canadian dollar rose here today to the United States dollar parity of $2.80 to the pound sterling for the first time since its value was unpegged 15 months ago.

However, the American dollar actually is still worth a little more than the Canadian dollar because it now stands a fraction above parity—the limit fixed by the Bank of England.

Value of Canadian currency increased to almost level with American money in the middle of last month when the Canadian government abolished all exchange controls.

In United States trading, the Canadian dollar today was at a discount of three-quarters of a cent in terms of U.S. currency. Before it was unpegged in 1950 it was at a discount of about 10 per cent.

Stock closings: Babcock & Wilcox 70s 6d; Boots Pure Drug 22s 7½d; Canadian Pacific $70¾; Central Mining £1 31.32; Consolidated Gold Fields 48s 1½d; Courtaulds 45s 4½d; Hudson's Bay Co. 173s 6d; Imperial Chemical 46s 7½d; Imperial Tobacco 91s 3d; Metal Box 48s 3d; Mexican Eagle 26s 9d; Rand Mines 122s 6d.

Today's Dollar

MONTREAL, Jan. 8 (CP)—The American dollar today closed at ⅜ of 1 per cent premium to the Canadian dollar, down 1/32 from Monday's close. That is, it took $1.00⅜ Canadian to buy $1 American.

The pound sterling was $2.80 7/16, unchanged from Monday.

Winter Layoffs Blamed For Unemployment Boost

OTTAWA, Jan. 8 (CP)—Though December employment remained at record levels, the number of jobless moved up to 237,100 at Dec. 13, the labor department reported today. The unemployment rise was 29,100 in a fortnight.

The department attributed the rise to customary winter layoffs, largely a slackening in construction work. It was accompanied by strong demand for labor in the logging industry.

The mid-December unemployment figure—based on applications for jobs on file with national employment service—was 30,000 more than a year ago. At the same time, there were 37,000 unfilled vacancies registered with N.E.S.

The summary by regions:

ATLANTIC

Employment continued higher than last year's levels and the number of job registrations slightly lower. In the first part of December, there were shortages of workers in logging and in some clerical occupations.

Labor surpluses existed among construction workers, taxi and truck drivers, longshoremen, and unskilled workers generally.

QUEBEC

Requirements for logging operations continued strong during December, although much of the hiring was for the replacement of those leaving. Completion of construction work added about 10,000 applications in the first two weeks of the month, while slackness in primary textile and clothing plants resulted in an additional 9,000 registrations in the same period.

In cities such as Sherbrooke, Drummondville and Three Rivers, where consumer goods are manufactured, there are indications that unemployment is heavier.

ONTARIO

Applications for employment increased from 72,900 to 79,200 in the first two weeks of December. The total at the end of the period was about 28,000 above 1950 levels, due chiefly to layoffs in manufacturing industries. There was a good demand for clerical and sales workers. Some loggers were being taken on, although the larger part of the labor force required had already been hired.

PRAIRIES

Completion of farm work released thousands of workers. Some of these sought other jobs; some withdrew from the labor force for the winter months; and others moved into British Columbia or into logging work at the lakehead. Employment in manufacturing was relatively well maintained, with the exception of the clothing and fur industries. In these two industries, the Winnipeg area suffered most and the total of 11,800 applications on hand at the employment office in that city was 1,600 higher than at the same date in 1950. In total, the regional figure of 31,000 applications was 3,600 below that listed at the corresponding time in 1950.

PACIFIC

Logging and sawmill work were active in British Columbia during December but additional labor requirements were light. Snow conditions in higher level operations were beginning to cause some layoffs. As a result of these factors, applications for logging employment outnumbered job openings for the first time in several months.

Some smaller sawmills were shut down due to low log inventories but all larger firms were on normal production schedules. Shingle mills closed earlier than usual, reflecting in part a decline in house building. The end of the packing and canning season also resulted in the release of many workers. On the whole, however, there has been a year-to-year increase in employment due to expansion in shipbuilding, transportation, the forestry industries and in construction work on resources development projects.

Following are figures for Nov. 29, 1951, in brackets:

Atlantic region: St. John's, Nfld., 3,106 (2,479); Charlottetown, 867 (678); Halifax, 2,823 (3,116); Sydney, 2,313 (2,097); Moncton, 2,589 (2,321); Saint John, N.B., 2,236 (2,239).

Quebec: Chicoutimi, 392 (341); Drummondville, 1,549 (1,446); Levis, 1,245 (867); Montreal, 26,793 (22,280); Quebec City, 7,661 (6,539); Shawnigan Falls, 1,897 (1,763); Sherbrooke, 2,219 (1,951); Sorel, 1,057 (633); Thetford Mines, 651 (530); Three Rivers, 3,121 (2,529).

Ontario: Hamilton, 7,062 (6,721); London, 3,078 (2,844); Ottawa, 2,548 (1,973); Toronto, 23,099 (20,765); Windsor, 6,600 (5,738).

Prairies: Fort William-Port Arthur, 1,487 (1,118); Winnipeg, 11,774 (10,327); Regina, 1,346 (1,177); Saskatoon, 1,795 (1,610); Calgary, 3,517 (3,369); Edmonton, 4,231 (3,617).

Pacific: New Westminster, 4,788 (4,392); Prince

Bruins Slap Seven Goals Past Hawks

HOW THE STAND

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Detroit	22	7	8	103	68	52
Toronto	16	13	8	87	77	40
Montreal	18	16	4	101	89	40
New York	15	16	5	81	85	35
Boston	15	16	5	81	85	35
Chicago	11	24	3	83	146	25

Next game, tonight: Toronto at New York.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8 (CP)—Boston Bruins moved to within one point of the fourth-place New York Rangers in the National Hockey League race tonight as they overwhelmed Chicago Black Hawks 7-2 before a crowd of 6,212.

The defeat was the fifth in succession for the Hawks, who also dropped six points behind the fifth-place Bruins.

The veteran Woody Dumart scored twice for Boston to bring his lifetime major league total to 199 goals. Both came in the third period. Dumart also got an assist.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Boston, Quackenbush (Peirson) 6:08. 2, Chicago, Gadsby (Peters, Gee) 13:09. Penalty, Gadsby, 2:35.

Second period—3, Boston, Schmidt (Dumart, Kennedy) 10:01. 4, Boston, Sandford (Ferguson, Laycoe) 18:43. 5, Boston, McIntyre 19:21. Penalties, Laycoe 7:41, Fogolin 15:18.

Third period—6, Boston, Dumart (Schmidt) 1:04. 7, Chicago, Rodnar (Wilson) 6:36. 8, Boston, Creighton (Peirson, McIntyre) 15:37. 9, Boston, Dumart (Kennedy, Sandford) 19:24. Penalties, Fogolin 6:36, Schmidt 8:56, Kelly 12:14.

Cubs Clobber Maroons, 6-0

Cubs scored an overwhelming 6-0 victory over Maroons in a Victoria Minor Hockey Association midget division game at Memorial Arena last night.

Goalie Don Hamilton played an outstanding game in registering the shutout. It is the former forward's first season between the pipes.

B. Coldwell, Ron Youell, Billy Foster, Bob Showers, D. Jones and K. O'Neill were the Cubs' scorers.

There has been a change in the midget division schedule for tomorrow night. Instead of the midget all-star practice, the midget all-stars will meet the juvenile all-stars in an exhibition game at 6 p.m.

The match will be a warm-up for the juvenile team which travels to Nanaimo Saturday.

Peden, Horgan Ponder Future

Doug Peden, left, newly-appointed coach, and manager Pat Horgan peer into basketball to see what future holds for Victoria Individuals, who have had nothing but trouble since first organizing to compete in Inter-City Basketball League at start of season. Peden was named to replace Norm Baker as coach last night and players voted to stick together and try to win Canadian senior A men's title.—Colonist photo by Jim Ryan.

Hard-Luck Individuals Decide to Try It Again

"Never give up" seems to be the motto of Victoria Individuals, the city's ill-fated senior A basketball representatives.

Believed to have had a powerful club capable of winning the Dominion title when they were organized at the start of the season to compete in the Inter-City Basketball League, Individuals have had nothing but trouble.

The big blow was the failure of former coach Norm Baker to obtain his reinstatement as an amateur, thus losing their drawing power and necessitating their withdrawal from the league. Individuals decided to operate as an independent club and continue its quest for the Dominion crown, last brought to Victoria by the 1946 Dominoes.

Then it was injury after injury. Although unable to dress a full team for any game, Individuals always came up with a good performance on the pre-Christmas schedule, but still they could not attract a strong following.

BAKER QUITS

Disheartened, Baker announced his resignation during the holiday season and it was believed the club would fold after filling its scheduled meeting with Harlem Clowns this coming Saturday.

Practicing for the Harlem game last night, Individuals got together and decided to give it another try to go through the playoffs by asking Doug Peden to take over the coaching duties.

The veteran guard accepted conditionally, stating that he would "give as much time as possible to the team." He said it might necessitate a dual effort with himself looking after the defense and Porky Andrews coaching the offense.

Peden's task will be no easy one. The club faces the prospect of finishing the season without the services of high scoring pivotman Johnny Clark, who is sidelined with a spur on his knee.

Peden stated last night that Clark may be able to play in the play-offs if he remains out of action for the time being but he will insist that the bucketman wait until next year if their is any chance of a permanent injury by playing in the play-offs.

SEEK REPLACEMENTS

Andrews will also be unable to play Saturday, having other commitments with his work. This leaves six players to meet the Clowns unless replacements can be obtained.

Peden announced that he will probably start at guard with Bob Boyes, while Vic Dale moves up to the forward line with Rookie Wright. That will leave Elmer Curtis and Wes Maulstaid as substitutes with the pivot post vacant. Efforts are being made to obtain either Johnny Field or Ernie Fox for bucket duties and it is hoped that rangy Ralph Baxter may also see fit to come out of retirement.

Reports are that there has been a heavy demand for advance tickets which will go on sale at 650 Yates Street this morning. Indications are that the crowd will rival crowds of previous seasons and fans who have stayed away most of the season may again decide to become regular followers.

The Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion Carpet Bowling League will resume play this week.

IT BEATS ME

By Jim Tang

Barring serious injury, Maurice Richard should set a new all-time N.H.L. goal-scoring record this season. The Montreal sharpshooter has beaten opposing goalies 21 times so far in the current campaign for a life-time total of 313, only 11 short of the record of 324 set by Nels Stewart. When Richard makes it he is certain of wide acclaim as the greatest scorer in the history of hockey.

This is open to argument although Richard will probably only take 10 seasons to surpass the total it took Stewart 15 seasons to amass. In fact, there are fany who will argue right now that Gordie Howe is a better scorer than Richard and that Milt Schmidt is a better hockey player.

In any event, those who prefer Stewart over Richard despite the statistical evidence have some good talking points.

First of all there are the matters of enlarged schedules and changed rules. When Stewart came up in 1925, the N.H.L. was playing a 36-game schedule and it was only 48 when he hung up his skates in 1940. Richard started in the N.H.L. when it was playing a 50-game slate. This was upped to 60 games in 1946 and for the past three seasons, it has been 70 games. That makes quite a difference and although Richard would undoubtedly have eventually surpassed Stewart's mark, it would have taken a season or two longer.

Of more importance is the change in hockey. There can be little doubt that the modern game, with its larger passing zones and forward passing on both sides of the centre line, is made to order for a player of Richard's talents. How he would have fared in the days when the puck carrier had to take the puck across the blue line, behind which lurked bodycheckers such as Red Horner, Ching Johnson, Lionel Hitchman and Eddie Shore, to name a few, is a matter of conjecture. Certainly, there aren't many players like that around today.

And, probably overlooked, is the fact that Richard benefited immensely during the war, when he was one of the few real stars not in the services and was able to add to his scoring total against mediocre opposition and with many of the top-ranking goalies wearing government issue. It just all goes to prove the fallacy of trying to name the 'greatest' in any sport. It can't be done.

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Random Harvest

Basketball fans have a treat in store for them. The full-length feature, **"The Harlem Globe Trotters,"** will be shown at the **Plaza Theatre** starting tomorrow and a preview yesterday disclosed that the film is worth seeing. **Norm Baker**, Victoria's contribution to Abe Saperstein's collection of touring basketball pros, can easily be seen in action against the most famous maple-floor aggregation of all time . . . Decision of the class "D" **Far West League** to suspend operations for one year gives the **W.I.L.** a chance to add **Eugene** as the eighth club if **Victoria** is left out in the cold due to failure to sell its franchise . . . **Victoria Shamrocks** can hardly be described as amateurs after the disclosure yesterday that each player had received more than $1,000 for last season's efforts. However, it's an ill wind that blows no good. Recruiting the necessary players for another shot at the **Mann Cup** shouldn't prove too difficult with the Victoria "take" over three times as much as the best Vancouver figure . . . Sports fans will be sorry to hear that **Laurie Given**, secretary of the **Commercial Hockey League**, was taken to hospital yesterday with bronchial pneumonia . . . According to the **P.C.H.L.** record book, the biggest Victoria attendance up to the end of last season was 4,964 for the game against **Seattle** on Nov. 11, 1949 . . . The value of **American Legion** baseball was never more clearly shown that it was by the report that 274 graduates were on major-league rosters last season—over half the total of 400 big leaguers . . . **Joe North** reports that 100 old-age pensioners will be guests of the **Cougars** on Jan. 22, when **Vancouver Canucks** play here again . . . **Rocky Brooks** left several weeks ago to take up residence in southern California . . . **Larry Reardon**, who quit hockey a couple of months ago, has been working out with **Canucks** and probably will be back in action soon . . . Vancouver's **Walt McKlroy**, Canadian amateur golf champion, has accepted an invitation to compete in Bobby Jones's annual **Masters Tournament** at **Atlanta**, April 4-7 . . . **Jim Spencer**, coach of **North Shore**, apparently wasn't too impressed with **Victoria United**, who beat his club for the second time this season in a **Coast Soccer League** match here Saturday. He said that the 3-0 half-time lead "flattered" United and that Shores deserved nothing worse than a draw. More accurately, he had words of praise for his star half-back, **Alex Reid**, certainly one of the finest players in these parts.

GUESSING DEPARTMENT: **Edmonton** in the P.C.H.L. tonight, **Toronto** in the N.H.L., and **Civil Service, Merchants** and **4-Ups** in **Commercial hockey. Batting average** to date: At bat 23, hits 10, **percentage .435.**

Nanaimo Garners Second Win

NANAIMO, B.C., Jan. 8 (CP)—Mel Gourdeau's goal at 16.35 of the final period tonight gave Nanaimo Clippers their second win in as many nights when they edged Kerrisdale Monarchs 3-2 in a tightly-fought Pacific Coast Senior Amateur Hockey League game here.

The game was marred by an unfortunate shoulder injury to Kerries' Mickey Lynch. The smart Monarch forward, skating with his head down on a rushing play, crashed hard into a Clipper player and had to be removed from the ice. He was later taken to Nanaimo General Hospital for treatment.

The win was Clippers' second at the coast after a disastrous trip through the Western International League and they had to go all out to gain the win.

Kerrisdale: Barnett; Ritchie, Mortenson, Pilliberg, Sims, G. Lovell. Subs: H. Lovell, O. Schmidt, Chmiel, Lynch, Vickery, Lerk.

Nanaimo: Jackson; Brown, Lundmark; Rawledge, Miller, Ferguson. Subs: Gruhn, Berry, Deleine, Culley, O'Hara, Gourdeau, Kirk, Frohrli.

First Period—1, Nanaimo, Deleine (Kirk, Gruhn) 4.05. 2, Kerrisdale, Schmidt (Ritchie, Ritchie) 8.50. 3, Kerrisdale, Ritchie (G. Lovell, Sims) 13.06. Penalties, Vickery (2), Brown.

Second Period—4, Nanaimo, Deleine (Culley, Gruhn) 5.14. Penalties, Brown (minor and 10-min. misconduct), Frohrli, Deleine (major), Lovell (major), Lerk.

Third Period—5, Nanaimo, Gourdeau (O'Hara) 16.35. No penalties.

Speaking Briefly

New York's St. Nicholas Arena has been purchased by Webb and Knapp, Inc., a big Manhattan real estate firm.

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Coach Arnold Auerbach of Boston Celtics has been fined $100 for stalling tactics in a National Basketball Association game against Rochester.

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Pitcher Art Houtteman, released by the U.S. Army, has signed a 1952 contract with Detroit Tigers for a reported $23,000. He won 19 and lost 12 for the Tigers in 1950.

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Toronto Maple Leafs of the International Baseball League have acquired pitcher Vic Lombardi from Hollywood of the Pacific Coast League.

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The 1953 Ryder Cup matches between U.S. and British professional golfers will be played at Wentworth, Surrey.

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A total of 6,000 Olympic Games tickets was flown to the United States yesterday for American sale.

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The Soviet press has claimed new world speed skating records for 500, 1,000 and 1,500 metres.

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Veteran Johnny Mize has returned his signed 1952 confract to New York Yankees.

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A Philadelphia Federal judge has ordered a full trial of the government's anti-trust suit against the National Football League.

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Brooklyn Dodgers have sold pitcher Rex Barney to St. Paul of the American Association.

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Stan Musial, St. Louis Cardinal outfielder, arrived in Washington yesterday to fight the government for approval of his reported $35,000 pay raise last year.

Oh-h-h, Coley!

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP)—Vancouver Canucks of the Pacific Coast Hockey League and the Commercial Hockey League's Pacific National Exhibition Indians skated to a 5-5 tie tonight in an exhibition game.

Rocks Receive Record Roll; $1,050 Bulges Each Wallet

Victoria Shamrocks did not reach the Mann Cup finals last summer but they were well compensated for winning the Inter-City Lacrosse League title.

An auditor's report, released in Vancouver yesterday, disclosed that the Shamrocks received the largest play-off in the history of modern box lacrosse in the West.

Each member of the Shamrocks is reported to have received $1,050 with playing-coach Arnold Ferguson collecting a double share—$2,100—for the 1951 season. In 1950, each player received about $300.

Vancouver Combines shared approximately $300 each; New Westminster Commandos collected $270 each and North Shore Indians received $200 each. That adds up to a total mainland pay-off of $770 each—$280 less than each Shamrock received.

Nanaimo Native Sons have not yet reported their split, if any.

Sport

Porky Pits Playing Skill Against His Schoolboys

By JAN GLENDAY

Victoria High Totems will be facing a new problem at the Fernwood gym Friday night. Their coach, Porky Andrews, will play against his charges.

No, there is no dissension among the Victoria High cagers. Andrews will be just one of a group of Oldtimers who will come out of retirement to make their annual pilgrimage to the high school gym.

The annual event has been extremely popular, and gives the basketball fans a chance to see an unmatched array of talent assembled in one place.

Andrews has promised to make it rough for the Totems, stating that "the home team will be taught a lesson or two in the art of basketball."

Old shoes will be taken down from the top shelf, shorts, aged and moth-eaten, will be patched up and the most important item on the equipment list—the liniment bottle—will find an increased demand the next day.

POWERFUL LINE-UP

The Oldsters will have no trouble picking a powerful starting line-up. Art and Chuck Chapman, Porky Andrews, Busher Jackson, Vic Dale, Tommy Forbes, Ian and Alex McKechnie, Doug Peden, Ollie Goldsmith and Gordie Patterson are expected to be on hand for the battle.

All of these players have seen action with a Canadian championship team at one time or another.

Further efforts are being made to secure the services of Red Martin, former House of David star, who is currently living in Vancouver.

Totems, making their first start of the new year, will be at full strength for the engagement and will no doubt try to run the veterans off their feet. It will serve as a tune-up for the coming Vancouver Island high school basketball tournament, slated for early February.

D. & D. Cagers Clip Students By 41-25 Tally

Dickinson & Dunn picked up its 12th victory in the intermediate A men's basketball league by defeating Chinese Students 41-25 at Victoria High School last night.

The senior B men's game between Veterans of France and Victoria College Vikings, scheduled as the feature attraction, was canceled.

May Peden, second vice-president of the Victoria and District Basketball Association, reported that the students have withdrawn from the league. No reason was given.

This has also forced cancellation of tonight's scheduled game between the Vikings and Arrow Furniture. An intermediate A men's contest between Dickinson & Dunn and Scott & Peden will be the feature instead.

Line-ups:

Dickinson & Dunn—Bob Allen 8, Bill Blanford 5, Bill Garner 11, Don Hendry 4, Arch McMillan 6, Ed Richmond 2, George Woollett 3. Total—41.

Chinese Students—Bernie Sam 5, Chu Eng 2, Reg Derr 13, E. Lou 3, D. Lowe 2. Total—25.

Yankees Named Team of Year

NEW YORK, Jan. 8 (AP)—For the second straight year, the New York Yankees baseball club was picked as the team of the year in the annual Associated Press poll.

The Yankees received 53 first-place votes and 305 points on a 3-2-1 basis to finish 56 points ahead of the Giants. Leo Durocher's team was named first by 52 of the 214 sports writers and sportscasters who took part in the poll. The Giants collected 251 points.

The leading teams (first-place votes in parentheses).

1. New York Yankees, baseball (53)	305
2. New York Giants, baseball (52)	251
3. Cleveland Browns, football (48)	249
4. Tennessee, football (19)	138
5. Michigan State, football (7)	60
6. Kentucky, basketball (2)	46
7. Princeton, football (4)	41
8. Illinois, football (5)	34
9. Stanford, football (3)	31
10. Maryland, football (3)	28

Ottawa Grid Star Now at Esquimalt

OTTAWA, Jan. 8 (CP)—The Dominion champion Ottawa Rough Riders may lose their centre, Don Loney, for next season's football at least.

Navy officials disclosed today that Loney, navy ordnance officer, is being transferred to Esquimalt, B.C., next month to assume a new job as ordnance instruction officer there. It was indicated the appointment will last for some time, with no assurance he will be transferred back to Ottawa when his appointment at Esquimalt concludes.

Sports Fixtures Scheduled Today

ICE HOCKEY
(At Memorial Arena)
7.00 p.m.—Commercial, Army vs. Civil Service.
8.30 p.m.—Commercial, Merchants vs. Navy.
10.00 p.m.—Commercial, Individuals vs. Seven-Ups.

BASKETBALL
(At Victoria High School)
7.00 p.m.—Exhibition, St. Louis College Intermediate B boys' vs. Scott & Wright (Junior boys).
8.00—Women, Moose Lodge vs. MacDonalds.
9.00 p.m.—Intermediate A men, Dickinson & Dunn vs. Scott & Peden.

Flyers' Upheaval Railroads Currie; Quakers Close Gap

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
New Westminster	23	9	6	143	99	52
Seattle	17	15	8	135	116	42
Tacoma	17	15	5	141	116	39
Edmonton	14	15	6	130	135	34
VICTORIA	14	17	5	135	131	33
Calgary	13	21	4	136	157	30
Vancouver	10	23	5	151	160	25

Next game, tonight: Tacoma at Edmonton.

Saskatoon Quakers pulled within one point of the league-leading New Westminster Royals by whipping Tacoma Rockets, 5-1, at Saskatoon, but Edmonton Flyers stole the Pacific Coast Hockey League spotlight last night.

The Flyers became the fourth club to change coaches since the start of the season when Frank Currie was replaced as manager-coach of the club.

Currie said late last night that he feels he was "railroaded" out of the job of coach and a spokesman for the players said a petition is being circulated to protest Currie's dismissal.

An earlier announcement that Currie handed in his resignation and that he was sick was proven erroneous at a meeting of the Edmonton exhibition board, operators of Flyers.

The new facts were disclosed when the board was told that at an executive meeting in the afternoon the directors had agreed Currie's salary would be paid in full until his contract expires May 30. Currie said he is not sick, refuting an earlier announcement that a stomach ulcer influenced the decision of the former Montreal amateur player.

The full board named James Paul, exhibition manager, and Lawrence Rye, association president, as temporary co-managers.

It was revealed that a telephone call was made to Jack Adams, manager of Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League, and Adams suggested defenseman Doug McCaig be appointed temporary playing coach.

ALWAYS A WINNER

Currie always had a winning club at Edmonton before the Flyers turned professional. In long seasons at the helm Currie gave Edmonton its first Allan Cup in 1947-48, won two Western Canada Senior Hockey League championships and never finished out of the league finals.

Currie was granted a last wish to coach the Flyers against Tacoma Rockets at Edmonton last night.

FLYERS GET HELP

Paul announced that Detroit Red Wings are sending centre Bert Giesbrecht from their Indianapolis club to bolster the Flyers. Giesbrecht played for Tulsa in the defunct United States Hockey League the past two seasons, accumulating 63 points in 51 games in the 1949-50 season and amassing 78 points, including 38 goals, last season.

Saskatoon's victory last night snapped a four-game Tacoma winning streak. It was the second straight triumph for the Quakers under the coaching of Doug Bentley.

TIED WITH DOROHOY

Alex Kaleta scored what proved to be the winning Saskatoon goal to move into a tie with Victoria's Eddie Dorohoy for the individual scoring lead. Each has 46 points with Dorohoy showing 13 goals and Kaleta 21.

Quakers' margin would have been much greater but for the sterling work of Tacoma goalie Doug Stevenson, who turned back 33 shots—20 of them in the final period.

SUMMARY

Tacoma—Goal, Stevenson; defense, Paul, Jates; Goalie, Davidson; Officer; forwards, Bradley, Johnston, Young, Magnuss, Halderson, Kerr, McDonald, Brown.

Saskatoon—Goal, Worsley; defense, Heindl, Parker, Milford, Kaleta; forwards, Kaleta, Chad, Brain, Hunter, Kuzma, Rouse, McCullough, Bentley, Senick, Poirier.

First period—1, Saskatoon, Kuzma (Rouse, Hunter) 4.15. 2, Saskatoon, Kaleta (Chad) 8.50. 3, Saskatoon, Chad 14.10; 4, Tacoma, Brown (Kerr, MacDonald) 16.18. Penalty, Davidson, 13.50.

Second period—Scoring, None. Penalty, Milford 4.12.

Third period—5, Saskatoon, Hunter (Kuzma, Rouse) 3.47. 6, Saskatoon, Senick (Heindl, Milford) 6.35. Penalties, MacDonald 8.05, Halderson 17.12.

Stops—Stevenson 8 8 20—37; Worsley 6 8 6—20.

Varga Keeps Point Lead; Clubs in Action Tonight

Ed Varga, 7-Ups' high-scoring centre, still holds a comfortable eight-point lead in the Commercial Hockey League's individual scoring battle.

Varga has 32 points, made up of 17 goals and 15 assists, two more league firsts. Linemate Norm LaCree is runner-up with 24 points. His 14 goals are second best in the loop.

Army's Stewart Vary took over third place from 7-Ups' Ron Bremner Monday night. He has 16 points, one more than Bremner.

The players will get a chance to increase their totals when the league holds its second card of the week at Memorial Arena tonight.

Army and Civil Service will open the program at 7 p.m. Victoria Merchants and Navy will meet in the feature and Individuals and 7-Ups will wind up the proceedings.

Navy was the only team with player news yesterday. Cmdr. H. G. Burchell, manager of the Navy team, announced that he expects Ray Cole, a leftwinger, to be in uniform tonight.

Leading scorers.

	G	A	Pts	Pen
Varga, 7-Ups	17	15	32	36
LaCree, 7-Ups	14	10	24	2
Vary, Army	11	5	16	10
H. Bremner, 7-Ups	7	8	15	2
Corby, Civil Service	8	3	14	4
White, Army	3	11	14	2
Davidge, Civil Service	8	5	13	2
Fowler, Cleaners	8	5	13	2
McColl, Civil Service	6	6	12	4
McBain, Merchants	8	4	12	4
Standley, Navy	8	3	11	4
Wood, Navy	8	2	10	6
Richer, Navy	5	5	10	20
Cunningham, Cleaners	4	6	10	0
Phebo, Merchants	8	1	9	4
Wiese, 7-Ups	5	4	9	14
Hallett, Merchants	3	6	9	6
McLean, Civil Service	1	5	6	37
Hallam, Army	7	1	8	6
Hill, Navy	6	2	8	4
W. Bones, Merchants	6	2	8	4
Taylor, Merchants	5	3	8	4
Brown, Navy	5	3	8	2
Gunter, Merchants	4	4	8	4
Barrass, 7-Ups	3	5	8	29
Elliott, Cleaners	2	6	8	21
Smith, Civil Service	6	1	7	2
Quinn, Civil Service	3	4	7	4
Green, Cleaners	2	5	7	10
Kowalik, Cleaners	2	4	7	6

Goaltenders' averages:

	GP	GA	Ave.
Ellis, Merchants	11	32	2.90
P. Bremner, 7-Ups	10	34	3.66
Sparks, Navy	12	47	3.91
Hogan, 7-Ups	2	7	3.50
Lange, Army	12	43	3.58
Freiser, Civil Service	12	46	3.83
McCune, Cleaners	12	46	3.83
Thomas, Merchants	1	5	5.00

Percy Norman Turns Back On Swimming

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP)—Percy Norman, coach of the Vancouver Amateur Swim Club, and the man responsible for training 24 Olympic and British Empire Games swimmers, said Tuesday he is about ready to drop out of the swim picture.

He gave lack of swimming pool facilities here as the reason for his decision to leave.

"I can't see any future for swimming in Vancouver," he said, "unless something is forwarded soon to better pool facilities."

The city-owned Crystal Pool falls far short of this city's needs.

"I'm tired of fighting for pool facilities in a city that has been begging for a new swim pool for years," he said. "I can see no other recourse but to drop out of the picture."

"But, he added, "my retirement doesn't mean I will desert the present group of swimmers at V.A.S.C. It means only that, having given the current group all the coaching I can, I will then retire from swimming for good."

Hockey Scores

N.H.L.
Boston 7, Chicago 2.

P.C.H.L.
Tacoma 5, Saskatoon 1.

PACIFIC COAST SENIOR
Kerrisdale 3, Nanaimo 2.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL
Spokane 3, Nelson 1.

OKANAGAN SENIOR
Penticton 1, Vernon 5.

WESTERN CANADA JUNIOR
Calgary 7, Medicine Hat 4.

SASKATCHEWAN JUNIOR
Flin Flon 2, Prince Albert 5.

NORTHERN ONTARIO SENIOR
Sudbury Miners 5, North Bay 9.

THUNDER BAY JUNIOR
Port Williams Hurricanes 5, Port Arthur Bruins 2.

QUEBEC SENIOR
Montreal 2, Sherbrooke 2.

ONTARIO SENIOR A
Barrie 2, Hamilton 2.
Kitchener 1, Owen Sound 6.

ONTARIO JUNIOR A
Guelph 5, Kitchener 9.

QUEBEC JUNIOR
Verdun 2, Montreal Canadiens 7.
Quebec 3, Montreal Nationales 2.

Medal Winners

Mrs. H. Husband won silver division honors in the women's monthly medal competition at the Victoria Golf Club yesterday with a net 88. Mrs. F. Norris topped the bronze division with a net 74.

ALCOS WORKOUT

Alcos soccer club will hold a workout at the Lake Hill Community Hall tonight at 7.30.

COMMERCIAL HOCKEY
WEDNESDAY at 7 P.M.
Doors Open 6.30
— 3 GAMES —
ARMY vs. CIVIL SERVICE
MERCHANTS vs. NAVY
INDIVIDUAL CLEANERS vs. SEVEN-UPS
Ringside Seats 60c and 50c
Children 25c
MEMORIAL ARENA

Figures Indicate Possible 1,000,000 P.C.H.L. Gate

Victoria Leads as Hockey Town

If the P.C.H.L. standings were based on attendance they would read Edmonton, VICTORIA, Calgary, New Westminster, Vancouver, Saskatoon, Seattle, Tacoma instead of New Westminster, Saskatoon, Seattle, Tacoma, Edmonton, VICTORIA, Calgary, Saskatoon.

Figures released yesterday by league president Al Leader disclose that Edmonton is the attendance leader with 84,109 for 17 games an average of 4,948. This figure is eminently satisfying but the attendance high point is furnished by Victoria.

In 18 home games, the Cougars have attracted 82,239 paying customers for an average of 4,569 per game despite a sixth-place club which only recently ended a seven-game winless streak and is no better at home for the season than .500.

NEAR CAPACITY

The Victoria average is only 72 below the Memorial Arena seating capacity of 4,641. Edmonton rink which seats 6,800 and holds about 8,000, a population centre about 50,000 greater than Victoria, and drawing potential in adjacent territory.

At the current rate of attendance, the Cougars will play to 159,945 Victoria fans in regular league play.

COUGARS UP $1,228

Leader's figures also disclose that the five coast cities show an increase of 37,455 over the same period last season with each of the five showing an advance ranging from 21,228 in Victoria to 131 at Tacoma. New Westminster is up 7,691, Seattle shows a gain of 7,305, and Vancouver Canucks have managed to bring in 1,100 more fans than they did for their first 18 home games last season.

Total attendance for the P.C.H.L. is 490,398 for its first 141 games, leaving the possibility of the first 1,000,000 attendance in the history of the league with 139 games left to be counted in and indications of a real battle for playoff spots.

Attendance for 93 games in the five coast centres is 296,914, an average of 3,193. Average attendance at the three Prairie centres of Edmonton, Calgary and Saskatoon is 4,031 and the average of the league is 3,478. The coast average suffers from comparatively low attendances at its two American cities, Seattle and Tacoma, ranking seventh and eighth in that order.

Attendance table:

	GP	Attend.	Ave
Edmonton	17	84,109	4,948
VICTORIA	18	82,239	4,569
Calgary	15	61,845	4,337
New Westminster	18	61,780	3,431
Vancouver	18	60,861	3,337
Saskatoon	17	45,120	2,478
Seattle	20	54,422	2,374
Tacoma	17	34,303	2,130

FAN FARE

By Walt Ditzen

EVERY YEAR I'VE ASKED AND ASKED YOU NOT TO LOET YOUR BALL!
-HAD THIS NICE SIGN PRINTED
PLEASE DON'T LOET YOUR BALL!
I'M NOT GOING TO ASK YOU AGAIN!
YOU JUST GO AHEAD -
SARCASTIC!

Schoolboy Wonder

EDWARD CARTER

Al "Gunt" Pullins, who starred against Victoria Dominoes as member of Harlem Globetrotters in mid '20's, will return to Victoria High School gymnasium Saturday when he brings his Harlem Clowns to town to meet Victoria Individuals in exhibition basketball game. Pullins still sees action after 25 years of playing but star of Clowns this season is Carter, who was called "The Schoolboy Wonder" in his home town of Chicago. He had numerous college offers this fall but decided to try his luck with Clowns. He is 19 and stands six feet two inches tall.

Racing Results, Entries

Santa Anita

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs.

A Leverette 118 — Prince Hoofs 118
Climber 118 — D. Graham 118
Queen of Hearts 118 — Alpine Joe 118
Speedy Boots 118 — C. Sasaki 118
B. Shields T. 118 — D. Wareagle 118
Two Bonnets 118 — A. Ammentrout 118
Rocket 118 — Elizabeth Lowe 118
C. Carrera Boy 118 — A. Feliz
Bill Rainbird 118 — B. Scott
Be Clipper 118 — C. Taylor
Late Look 118 — G. Scott

SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs.

Gay Bat 115 — Moonlit Pacific 118
Pegasus 118 — Royal Quest 118
Request 118 — Bold Step 118
Sea Cap 118 — Blue Streak 118
Lovely Dee 107 — Exciting Light 112
ROYAL AGENT 118 — TOMMY KAY 112
Flying Jimmie 118 — Lilac 118
Lady Natasha 118 — Running Sea 118

THIRD RACE—Mile and one-eighth.

Royal Steward 118 — Dario Dario 118
Mill Creek 109 — Sea Scout 109
False Hope 107 — Warm Words 117
De Pace 107 — Safe at Home 118
Blue Pat 109 — Adriana 109
Israeli 107 — Cinnabar 115
Stirling 109 — Dr. Pepsi 107
Free Rose 109 — Lamin Miner 111

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Eric Marshall 109 — Rose 111
Free Ticket 114 — Bathore 114
Chief Big Nose 109 — Prodding 114
Paimon 114 — Kolberg 114
Barry Rose 111 — Check of Gold 109
Last Venture 108 — Commander 114
Black Dancer 111 — Court Command 114
Barrano 109 — Sir Lennart 114

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Commotion 111 — Cedar Catch 108
Bonnets 108 — Commotion Boy 117
Angie 108 — Emma's Dee 108
Too Turvey 114

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Big Boots 114 — Bobs Knight 117
Admiral Drake 117 — Pyramonte 109
Lad Bound 114 — Wayside Queen 108
Unbridled 114 — Bright Mist 111
White Flash 114 — Mad Abe 108
Basaltside 114 — Sultan Khan 114
Full Measure 108 — A. Pompeii 111
A. Arrow 108 — A. Feliz
Sun Lea 111 — B. Rolo

SEVENTH RACE—Seven furlongs.

Just Twelve 119 — Alcide Mine 119
Time Mist 119 — Honey Rose 112
Pedro Rogue 119 — Three Rings 119
Reason's Best 119 — Nurse o' War 119
Least Hands 119 — Alcazar 119
A Bomb Scare 119 — A. Feliz

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles.

Mailed Fist 126 — B. Brown 114
Cyclone 109 — The Invader 119
Rolling Caller 111 — Sailaway 109
Mid Reward 108 — Twelve Bid 119
On Balance 112 — Plymouth 111
Hillrado 109 — Admiral 111
Blue Rock 103 — Red Pranger 103
Oro Borax 118 — Red Pranger 103
Dr. Quick 107 — Khaki Kid 107
Smoke 118 — High Master 115
Try Me 118 — Lucky Champ 119
Sailor Boy 107 — Fresh 107
Nor Joe 119 — Fresh 119

FOURTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles.

Victory Hands 109 — Vanity War 107
Chief Nanko 104 — Pine Pan 109
Sound Council 115 — Florida Farmer 115
Buster Master 114 — Tenacity 118
Professional 107 — Air Marine 108
Chanter 118 — Orphanage 108
Silver's Best 112 — Ballerina Girl 104
Mona Elgin 115 — Dress Rehearsal 112
Bold Bob 107 — Prince Sweeper 108

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Happy Wave 107 — Eighteenth 111
Hazel Dawson 118 — Trumpet Call 111
Wha Gee-Da 113 — Rum 108
Jack Ruggles 112 — Dancing Don 113
Fred Evans 113

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Leaden 104 — Cedar Gold 108
Alumna 119 — Jet Star 110
Merino Band 111 — Mayer Rosie 114
Dixie Bandit 113 — Bon Mardi 113

SEVENTH RACE — One and one-sixteenth miles.

Roy Wood 106 — Indian Gold 118
Big Tooth 111 — Rhubal 114
Sunset 107 — Rumbo 114
Mr. T. 114 — Look Out 111
Traylore 108 — Crestbird 115
Rue W. 118

EIGHTH RACE — One and one-eighth miles.

Athole 113 — Lotus 107
Home Plate 111 — Divine 107
Crystal Maid 112 — Brander 114
Columbo 108 — With Ease 115
Expedite 107

SIXTH RACE — One and one-sixteenth miles.

Big Jet 115 — Courtesy Susan 115
Mick Cheek 107 — Stronghold Boy 114
Short Mack 105 — Fashion Empress 114
Miss Cyclone 114 — Private Refrain 113
Enthroned 116 — Upright 114
Gee-Light 112 — Rare Joy 114
Pallio Rebar 114

SEVENTH RACE — Six furlongs.

Easy Road 108 — Rattle House 121
Jarvis 107 — All In On 115
Mr. Fair 108 — Bobbie's Gift 107
Captain Kelly 112 — Spunk Money 109
Good Eye 105 — Bazaler C. 101
Roban 105 — Tansy 110
Victorious Don 113 — Break Away 114
Ann Lee 107 — Acrobat 116
Commerate 111 — Reasons Pal 108

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles.

Halfway Taxi—J. Lalonde 433, R. Smith 466, G. Rogers 486, W. Dyas 474, H. Dowan 515. Game totals 897, 1,382, 897—3,176.

E. & N. Shops—J. Rose 507, A. Rumsey 487, H. Underwood 459, F. O'Laughlin 573, Walker 449. Handicap 198. Game totals 1,447, 1,619, 1,114—4,180.

Halfway Taxi, 2 points; E. & N. Shops, 1 point.

Horseshoe Navy—H. Bringer 451, A. Quinn 585, J. Gulliver 441, G. Rumsey 442, W. Long 785, H. Irvine 594. Handicap 26. Game totals 684, 947, 1,173, 2,804.

Smith's Premiums—Lucas 416, G. Hereford 580, A. Rose 501, G. Donaldson 447. Handicap 451. Game totals 1,080, 897, 946—2,923.

Horseshoe Navy, 3 points; Smith's Premiums, 1 point.

Naval Reds—H. Dempster 427, W. Cameron 575, F. Howard 455, A. Mackenzie 509, J. Barton 719. Handicap 806. Game totals 892, 1,000, 999—2,891.

Stewart & Hudson—Nash 475, Parkinson 539, Anderson 569, Scott 587, Mengotto 488. Grand 332. Handicap 82. Game totals 887, 895, 866—2,654.

Naval Reds, 4 points.

Shawnigan Lumber—H. Mackay 605, J. Morton 501, G. Anderson 524, M. Jamieson 508, R. McKelvey 452. Handicap 27. Game totals 832, 818, 2,169—2,819.

R.C.E.P.—T. Ainsley 483, F. Randall 736, H. Bell 497, R. Boyd 548, W. Bacon 378. Game totals 1,262, 1,302, 914—3,479.

Shawnigan Lumber, 1 point; R.C.E.P., 3 points.

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FINANCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

	Pts.
Railway Taxi	17
E. & N. Shops	16
R.C. Forest Products	15
Swift Premiums	14
Shawnigan Lumber	13
Royal Bank	13
Orphans	12
Horseshoe Navy	11
Stewart & Hudson	8
Island Farms	5

Orphans—A. McIlduff 411, D. Tuck 535, R. Stewart 521, L. Lawson 826, E. Tuck 542. Game totals 1,174, 1,667, 2,411.

The Dirts—Mrs. Hodge 483, G. Garrett 568, D. Hodgkins 440, A. Anderson 714, J. Gardiner 515. Game totals 1,951, 893, 1,691—4,535.

The Dirts, 4 points.

Mac's Best—M. McKenzie 471, A. Lawrence 590, B. Cooper 567, P. Smith 764, A. Macgregor 617. Game totals 1,080, 1,749, 1,964—4,793.

The Jones Boys—D. Jeffersonville 548, R. Smith 530, G. Minion 564, B. Woodward 506, R. Jones 538. Game totals 818, 1,166, 1,196—3,180.

Mac's Best, 4 points.

Clive's Cuisine—Reg. Waggoner 527, Albert Newcombe 536, Darrell Pregent 469, Denis Leonard 473, Guy Rowe 474. Game totals 967, 1,485, 2,186.

Watkins' Products—Don Corbett 493, Ross Kilpatrick 567, Bert Rowe 423, Joe Brown 524, Peter Birkenhead 627. Game totals 1,147, 1,698, 2,149—5,994.

Watkins' Products, 4 points.

Bowie's Holsbals—T. Newbegin 547, L. Hay 427, F. Rade 559, C. McRae 427, R. Bosier 559. Game totals 1931, 973, 1,595—4,859.

The Climbers—Doug Vincent 500, Bill Bardwell 672, Jean Gray 720, B. Bowen-Read 565, Hugh Cowan 672. Game totals 957, 1,062, 1,225—3,244.

Bowie's Holsbals, 1 point; The Climbers, 3 points.

Wee-Keys—Jack Doderidge 540, Ken Lohrmann 470, Doug E. Hood 513, Bill Boughen 587, Don McCaig 640. Game totals 1,317, 972, 958—3,247.

Charlie's Chicks—Will Smith 525, Reg. Gillard 508, Marc Desmarais 555, Wayne Warren 540, Ernie Gibson 538. Game totals 989, 1,037, 931—2,957.

Wee-Keys, 1 point; Charlie's Chicks, 3 points.

GIBSON'S BOWLADROME

MAJOR MEN'S FIVEPIN

	W	L	Pts.
Charlie's Chicks	13	5	18
Mac's Best	13	5	18
Bowie's Holsbals	12	6	15
Watkins' Products	10	8	14
The Dirts	9	9	13
Wee-Keys	10	8	12
Clive's Cuisine	8	10	10
The Climbers	8	10	10
The Jones Boys	6	12	8
The Digits	5	13	7

The Sole—M. Charron 491, G. Lexington 476, H. Pinnington 501, V. MacDonell 512. Game totals 1,174, 1,667, 2,411.

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Racing Selections

By JOSEPH GELARDI

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Chai, Delhoi, On the River, Resort.
2—Bonnie Dog, Floral Trail, Tipped Up.
3—Try Ice, Old Bridge, Jonathon's.
4—Desert Marble, Dress Rehearsal, Lone Wolf.
5—Sea Biscuit, Thumper Call, Nut.
6—Marine Band, Duke Boswell, Aldhara.
7—Mon Tonnie, Blue W. Bronwen.
8—Dream, Athlete, Lilac.
9—Steamboat, Bill Blue Crown, Sand Pie.
10—Cameo Kirk, Arcanti, Battlehouse.
Best: Marine Band.

SANTA ANITA

1—Brooks T. Que La Hace, Radiant Glow.
2—Sea Cap, Lilac, Pegasus.
3—Palm Hour, Sea Scout, Safe at Home.
4—Bullrake, Clyde, Barry Rock.
5—Conquering Hero, Two Turrell, Riverside.
6—Admiral Drake, Big Stretch, Rado Kid.
7—Season's Best, Nurse Mist, Nurse o'War.
8—Off Balance, The Dollar Bill, Rose Bud, Safe at Home.

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Great Evening, Beaver, Midyette.
2—Commotion, O'Brien's Pal, Chinese Yen.
3—Try Ice, Lonesome River.
4—Cutlass, Verona Maple, Miss Eight.
5—Dust Mat, Happy West, Rum.
6—Merry Maid, Aldhara, Duke Boswell.
7—Tailspin, Big Ich, Lark Out.
8—Stranded, Athlete, Plymmac.
9—Big Jet, Pinecrest Boxer, Sand Pie.
10—Good Guy, Tansy, Renao.
Best Bet: Stranded.

Traded to Bruins

TORONTO, Jan. 8 (CP). — Fleming Mackell, Montreal-born right winger with Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League, has been traded to Boston Bruins, assistant manager Hap Day announced tonight.

The Leafs will get a player from Hershey of the American Hockey League, a farm club of the Bruins. The player's name will be announced Thursday.

Lewiston Club Welcomed To Ball Loop

LEWISTON, Idaho, Jan. 8 (AP) — The Lewiston baseball club has selected a business manager and has been welcomed into the Western International League by president Robert Abel of Tacoma.

Bill Leuschel, 29, a life-long [illegible] business manager.

Abel told directors he felt the league had successfully weathered every conceivable storm and now was in a position invulnerable to destruction.

He said Lewiston's plan to purchase the Tacoma franchise in the league should prove advantageous to this area. And he pointed out that the community is situated "out of the shadow" of television and radio broadcasts from larger cities.

Bolt Snares L.A. Open With Dazzling Display

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 8 (AP)—Tommy Bolt won the rich three-way playoff of the $17,500 Los Angeles Open golf tournament Tuesday with a brilliant score of 69 that cracked par by two strokes and the hopes of his rivals, Jack Burke Jr., and E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, for the $4,000 top money.

Turning what had been a tight duel for nine holes into a rout on the way home, the 32-year-old Bolt wound up two strokes in front of Burke and his par 71, and five ahead of the veteran Harrison's 74.

Bolt, whose first major tournament victory came last October in the north and south open at Pinehurst, uncorked five birdies in a dazzling display of golf on the last nine holes.

He had finished in a tie at 289 with Burke and Harrison at the end of the regulation 72 holes Monday.

Burke and Harrison got a measure of consolation and even division by agreement of the $2,500 and $1,600 second and third-place money, or $2,050 apiece.

Bolt's card read 35-34—69 for the par 35-36—71 Riviera Country Club course. Burke had 35-36—71, and Harrison 36-38—74.

Suburban Cagers Meet in Playoffs

The various divisions of the Saanich and Suburban Basketball League are currently engaged in playoffs to decide representatives for the league in the coming Vancouver Island playdowns.

Games scheduled in the Saanich playoffs, with home team mentioned first, follow:

MIDGET GIRLS

Jan. 10—Saanichton vs. Brentwood.
Jan. 17—Brentwood vs. Saanichton.

MIDGET BOYS

Jan. 11—Brentwood vs. Saanichton.
Jan. 17—Sooke vs. winner of Brentwood and Saanichton.

JUNIOR GIRLS

Jan. 12—Saanichton vs. Sooke.
Jan. 21—Sooke vs. Saanichton.
Jan. 28—Saanichton vs. Sooke (if necessary).

JUNIOR BOYS

Jan. 11—Brentwood vs. Saanichton.
Jan. 19—Saanichton vs. Brentwood.
Jan. 26—Sooke vs. winner of Saanich vs. Brentwood.

INTERMEDIATE B BOYS

Jan. 15—McMorran's vs. Sooke.
Jan. 16—Sooke vs. Mordaunt's.
Jan. 17—Mount Tolmie Merchants vs. Saanichton.
Jan. 18—Saanichton vs. Mount Tolmie Merchants.

SENIOR B MEN

Jan. 14—Gordon Head All Blacks vs. Bayview Woodworkers.
Jan. 21—Bayview Woodworkers vs. Gordon Head All Blacks.

SENIOR C MEN

Jan. 16—Sooke vs. Gordon Head Barbarians.
Jan. 18—Saanichton vs. Brentwood.
Jan. 14—Gordon Head Barbarians vs. Sooke.
Jan. 16—Brentwood vs. Saanichton.

Harlem Clowns Amuse Crowd

CHEMAINUS, Jan. 8. — A crowd of 500 spectators watched Harlem Clowns down the Chemainus senior men, 56-49, in an exhibition basketball game at Chemainus Sunday.

Displaying a clever exhibition of basketball and comedy, the visitors toyed with the locals. The comedy antics included switches to rugby, baseball, bowling and American football.

Ed Carter paced the visitors with 20 points, and R. Birkerich led Chamainus with 14.

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with it, and the toe of the club is not pointing directly at the ground as it should. A club swing from this position will produce a hook because the clubface will swing into the ball with too much insideout, across the direction line, and the clubface will pass from left-to-right across the ball imparting a spin which will produce a hook. At the top of the backswing the clubshaft should be parallel to the direction line. This player's hands are far out over his right shoulder where as his hands should be held higher, and nearer to his head, to produce a more vertical swing. Then, from this position, his clubshaft would parallel the direction line and as he swings down his clubhead will travel just a little insideout, across the direction line. This will give him a straight ball with a faint hook at the far end of the shot.

Remember When . .

Joe Louis defeated Buddy Baer after two minutes 56 seconds of the first round, in his 21st consecutive ring victory since winning the heavyweight title from James Braddock. The Brown Bomber had Buddy down twice in that fight, nine years ago tonight at New York, before Baer finally collapsed.

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Murph Keeps Reputation— Pays $250

N&W YORK, Jan. 8 (CP)—Maurice Podoloff, president of the American Hockey League, announced today he had fined coaches Murph Chamberlain of Buffalo and Terry Reardon of Providence for their conduct in a game at Buffalo Jan. 3.

Podoloff held a hearing on the game in Cleveland Monday and overruled a Providence protest.

Chamberlain, who recently took over as coach of the Bisons, was fined $250 for tossing an extra puck on to the ice while play was in progress.

Reardon was assessed $100 for going on the ice and protesting a decision of referee Walt Russell, then refusing to leave the bench when ordered out of the game.

Aussie Tennis Leaders Support Sedgman Wedding Gift Campaign

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 8 (AP)—Australia's tennis leaders appeared today to be solidly behind the newspaper subscription campaign to present Frank Sedgman with a substantial cash wedding gift when the Davis Cup hero and Jean Spence are married Jan. 30.

Donations already have approximated $10,000 and it is expected this figure will be doubled by the date of the wedding. Said Clifford Sproule, official referee of the recent cup challenge round against the U.S. and one of Australia's permanent team selectors:

"In my opinion the Australian sporting public could subscribe to no more worthy cause. I personally would be very happy to see Frank and his future wife set up in such a way that he can give to tennis the attention he wishes to give it without turning professional.

SEEKS WIMBLEDON TITLE

"I think I can quite safely say that Frank's only desire is to win the Wimbledon title for the Australian people and to represent Australia in the Davis Cup."

Sir Norman Brookes, president of the Australian association, appeared to have no doubts of the propriety of the fund raising. The day before the campaign opened he said arrangements were being made to present Sedgman with a substantial wedding present and that every effort would be made to see that the player remained an amateur for life.

Bryan Fuller, president of the New South Wales Tennis Association (Sydney), gave the campaign his blessing.

RECOGNIZES MERIT

"The fund is a magnificent way of recognizing Frank's real merit not only in actually playing tennis but in showing how to behave while playing," he said. "The idea of a wedding present for Frank and his wife will commend itself to everyone throughout Australia."

Thus far Sedgman has received job offers from an oil company, an insurance company and a sporting goods firm. He at present is employed by a motor racquet manufacturing firm in Melbourne.

One of the largest individual contributors to the fund so far is Fred Small of New York, vice-president of the Celanese Corporation of America. Small chipped in with $172.

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Company Offers Awards

The Hudson's Bay Company announced yesterday that applications may now be made for two scholarships for study in the United Kingdom.

To qualify one must be a Canadian citizen not less than 23 years of age or more than 30 at the time of application. The scholarships are intended primarily for university graduates.

The scholarships are tenable for one year and are for post-graduate study in advance business administration, including merchandising, personnel administration and labor relations.

The scholarships were set up in 1945, on the 275th anniversary of the founding of the company.

Application blanks are available in the Victoria branch of the Hudson's Bay Company.

LONDON (CP) — Plans are being developed to produce twin-engined helicopters, seating 35 persons, for use on a short network between large cities in Britain and the Continent.

New Pilot Launch Due In Victoria This Week

MARINE AND TRAVEL NEWS

Delivery of a new pilot launch, the 56-foot Sphinx, is expected this week by the B.C. Pilotage Authority offices at Ogden Point.

Acquired by the transport department from Prescott, Ont., the pilot vessel was taken to Vancouver in the freighter Pacific Stronghold.

"She'll come here under her own power from Vancouver with a Vancouver pilot in charge," said Harold Sweeney, officer in charge of the Dallas Road offices. The vessel is due here "before the week end."

Arrival of the Sphinx will mean return of the similar-sized Oakwood, on loan to the pilotage authority from the R.C.N. for the past four years. It is presumed she will again fill her previous post as a target-towing craft.

Sphinx will join the B.C. Pilot I and B.C. Pilot IV. The three vessels are used by the 14 pilots serving this port.

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STUDENTS VISIT

H.M.C.S. Sault Ste. Marie will leave her Esquimalt jetty at 1.30 p.m. Saturday for Vancouver, and the following day will bring 30 members of the National Defense College of Kingston, Ont., to Victoria.

For the escort minesweeper, training ship of H.M.C.S. Malahat, it will be the first week-end [illegible] She is scheduled to return to Esquimalt at 4.30 p.m. Sunday.

A large number of officers and men of the reserve force will take part in the cruise.

The visiting party will include 25 students and five staff members of the college. After a tour of defense establishments in this area the group will leave by air to continue its nation-wide inspection trip.

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ATHABASKAN ACTION

Several Victoria men serving in the destroyer Athabaskan participated in an exciting and risky search operation following the recent fall of a small island named Taeroka-Do off Korea's west coast.

The warship reached the island area shortly after its fall to enemy hands. It was thought there were United Nations personnel still about the island in need of immediate rescue.

The Canadian destroyer had a brief gunfire skirmish with machine-gunners. Shells from heavy shore guns started falling about the warship, but she was not hit.

The ship proceeded southward, but that night returned to the island, still hoping that any United Nations men possibly remaining in the area could be rescued.

A motor cutter was lowered, within a mile and a half of the enemy-held island. In charge of the small craft was Lieut.-Cmdr. C. A. Hamar of Victoria. Among men with him were PO. F. J. Meredith and PO. A. R. Heys, both of Victoria.

The search carried on through a night calm and clear but moonless. There was increased danger in that enemy forces might have captured adjacent islets.

The Athabaskan's motorboat cruised about the islets and rocks for some time. Its crew called out in English in the hopes of locating British or United States troops. There was no response to their calls, and the cutter returned to her ship.

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SPEEDBOAT MEN MEET

Victoria Inboard-Outboard Association members will hold a regular meeting tonight at 8.15 in Room 21 of the Williams Building.

The speedboat men will hold a preliminary discussion on their 1952 race program. The club's annual Labor Day speedboat race is one of the city's most popular water events.

Arts School Plans Course

A short winter course in painting will be held Feb. 4 to 23 in Banff by the School of Fine Arts, it was announced yesterday.

The University of Alberta said that its 20th annual summer session of the Banff School of Fine Arts will be held June 23 to Sept. 13.

Several short courses will be held between July 7 and Aug. 16.

Regular sessions feature courses in theatre, ballet, painting, music, oral French, writing, radio writing and photography.

City Blind Await Opening of Centre

Facilities for more than 170 blind persons in Victoria will be made available at the new Canadian National Institute for the Blind Service Centre on Blanshard Street, scheduled to open about March 15.

Architects Nicolls & DiCastri, who prepared the plans for the modern $100,206, two-story building, said plastering is nearly finished and Commonwealth Construction Co. Ltd., contractors, should be finished work by the middle of March.

The new headquarters for Victoria's blind will be one of the most attractive centres of its kind in Canada, when completed.

Plans call for adequate social and recreational facilities and large club rooms and auditorium.

There will be a large work room equipped with special devices to help the blind manufacture the articles for which they are famous; a room for group teaching of the blind in Braille, typing, and weaving and other handicrafts. Classes for the instruction of parents of pre-school-age blind children will also be held.

The display and sales room for articles made by the blind will be another feature.

Special consideration will be given at the centre to the newly blind. They will be taught to carry on as nearly a normal life as possible.

Municipality To Fight Rate Boost

Central Saanich municipality will present a protest brief to the Public Utilities Commission on proposed electric light rate increases by the B.C. Electric Co.

The protest was approved by council Monday evening. Motion for preparation of the brief was moved by Councillor Harold Andrew.

Three committees also were named. Members, with chairman first named, are: Finance, Clr. H. Rupert Brown, Clr. H. Andrew and Clr. Ray Lamont; fire and drainage, Clr. Lamont, Clr. Willard Michell, Clr. Andrew; public works, Reeve Sydney Pickles, Clr. Brown and Clr. Lamont.

Central Saanich Council Refuses Election Probe

A request that the Central Saanich election be investigated, failed to receive support from the municipal council Monday evening.

The quest was made in a letter from H. J. MacDonald, defeated candidate in the Dec. 15 elections. His letter was tabled by council after explanations by Reeve Sydney Pickles.

Mr. MacDonald said his action in obtaining an injunction was not taken as a defeated candidate or as a poor loser, but rather to restrain the final elections declaration until an investigation could be made of the election.

Withdrawal of his action was because he did not wish to enter a dispute with the municipality nor cause the council legal expense, he said.

Reeve Sydney Pickles said advice sought by the council indicated Mr. MacDonald would have incurred any expense himself, rather than the municipality.

Answering the writer's question why a stapled form of ballot was used in December rather than the same type as that during the election following secession early in 1951, Reeve Pickles said the December ballot was the first of the new municipality.

The vote in early 1951 was under provincial supervision and its ballot was not adopted. The returning officer for the last election, in absence of any official ballot, used a known legal form of ballot which then became the municipality's. Any future changes in the form would require passage of a by-law, the reeve explained.

Manitoba Legislature Sets Date of Session

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8 (CP) — The fourth session of the 23rd legislature of the Province of Manitoba will open Feb. 5, Premier D. L. Campbell announced today.

No Trace Yet Reported Of Fifth Cultured Pearl

Early this week The Colonist patrons received an imitation pearl each.

Four of the lucky five women, who had their pearls identified as cultured type, have taken them to Henry Birks & Sons who have, free of charge, set them in 14-carat gold rings.

Management of Birks' say the cultured pearls are worth between $10 and $15.

They stated a number of women had been in to see if their pearl was the last cultured one.

In addition, 4,995 other women ran a story stating that somewhere in Victoria a woman was walking around with a "fairly valuable cultured pearl in her purse, apparently unaware of its value."

She is still walking around with it, if she has not thrown it away.

The cultured pearl was one of five given away at the Odeon Theatre recently at the showing of the film, "The Golden Horde."

Canned Fruit Here From South Africa

The first shipment of South African canned pineapple in a year has arrived on Vancouver Island, wholesalers reported.

The fruit is expected to retail at about 33 cents to 35 cents for a 20-ounce tin.

No change is seen in potato prices on the Island, a 100-pound sack retailing at about $6.70 or higher.

Details are awaited on reports that a ceiling has been placed on United States potatoes. The western price is claimed to be too low, and U.S. wholesalers are predicting a possible black market.

The ceiling is not expected to affect local supplies.

Local cauliflower supplies have been exhausted because of recent killing frosts. Local and California Brussels sprouts are being received, however.

NEARING END

Local cabbage supplies wholesaling at about 11 cents a pound, are nearing an end. United States supplies are being received slowly.

British Columbia forced rhubarb is retailing at 28 cents a pound.

Other supplies which are plentiful include California navel oranges, Florida pink and white grapefruit, lettuce, cucumbers and onions.

Victoria College Launches Spring Courses

Three new spring courses arranged by the evening division of Victoria College will begin tonight.

They are an "Introduction to Abnormal Psychology," instructed by W. H. Gaddes; "Our Heritage," taken by C. J. Guiguet of the Provincial Museum, and "Landscaping Your Home" under instruction of E. H. Löhbrunner.

The courses — 12 weeks in length — begin at 8 p.m. at the college.

First of the spring series began last night with a lecture, "Business Law for the Layman," taken by J. Alan Baker.

This was the first of 12 weeks of lectures on such topics as contracts, partnerships, labor laws, income tax, insurance, wills, mortgages, liens, titles, public liability and bankruptcy.

There was an excellent turnout of 86, and no further registrations can be accepted.

Graham Steed's lectures on Beethoven's symphonies, scheduled to start tonight, have been postponed for one week due to the Solomon concert.

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Bit of England Joins Taxi Fleet

A thoroughly Canadian young man, Donold French of the Island Taxi Co., tries hard to look like a London cabbie as he politely opens the door of the company's new London-style taxi. Preparing to alight is pretty Doreen Ayling, Colonist circulation department employee. Complete with glassed-in passenger compartment and exposed luggage space, the cab is the only one of its kind in western Canada.—(Colonist photo, by Bud Kinsman.)

London-Style Cab Makes Bow Here

For the past couple of weeks many a recent English immigrant in the city has taken a second, nostalgic look when a perky, square-cut cream and green cab has sped by.

For a brief moment he has been reminded of London. What he was seeing was the only London-style taxi in western Canada, complete with closed-in passenger compartment and open luggage rack next to the cabbie.

A recent addition to the Island Taxi fleet, the cab is built by Austin Motors in England, which manufactures almost all English taxis.

Although the cab has helped to strengthen the "bit-of-old-England" theme associated with Victoria, owners of the company were not primarily interested in that angle.

Donald French, dispatcher and son of part-owner Mrs. Mary French, said yesterday the car had three important advantages: good mileage, manoeuvrability and passenger comfort.

"Just about all our main needs in a car," he said.

Equipped with a four-cylinder, 70-horsepower valve-in-head motor, the car is built especially as a taxi and is expected to outlast the ordinary passenger cars usually used as taxis on this side of the Atlantic.

Mr. French said that the English cabs were being used in Montreal and were "going over big" in New York City.

Parked at its Broad Street stand, the car draws many a curious gaze, especially from English people or Canadians who served overseas during the war.

The company is not entirely unaware of the cab's potential tourist attraction qualities, either. This summer they hope to employ a driver who will match the car complete with an English accent. London experience and a leather-peaked cap.

If he answers fares with a curt "roight, guv-neh," so much the better.

Picture of Paradise Captivates Officials

Officials of the council parks department think so much of a Colonist photo showing a Beacon Hill Park winter scene that they want to make their next year's Christmas cards out of it.

The picture, entitled, "Paradox in Paradise," shows a tropical palm tree in the snow-covered foreground with a pair of Royal swans swimming on a partly-frozen pond.

The striking shot was taken by Colonist photographer Bud Kinsman and appeared in the paper Friday, Jan. 4.

Nanaimo Youth Fined

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—A day long police court battle here resulted in a $300 fine and costs for a young Nanaimo fisherman convicted by Magistrate Lionel Beevor-Potts on a charge of illegal salmon fishing at the mouth of the Little Qualicum River.

The magistrate released the boat owned by Ford McLeod.

The crown, represented by Murray Reynolds, claimed that McLeod cut loose his net when approached by fisheries officers.

The defense held that because the action took place at night the crown witness could not possibly identify the vessel.

Magistrate Beevor-Potts held that the defense had failed to show any other possibilities as to the discovery of the net which contained more than 300 salmon.

Defense counsel Ronald MacIssac held that the evidence was purely circumstantial and that poachers would be unlikely to use their own marked buoy.

Coast Road Urged For Trade in Cod

An enormous trade in cod could be developed through Victoria if a west coast road was built to Port Renfrew and a good harbor established there, according to Mayor Claude L. Harrison.

Cod, he said, are thrown away in thousands each season because they don't pack well. With a road from Port Renfrew and a good harbor "these valuable fish could be distributed on both sides of the boundary line through the port of Victoria."

He called the plan to build the road "the most important thing which I think we can press forward." He said he had for many years advocated such a road.

"That road must now become a reality," he added.

MANY FISHING

He said that scores of fishing boats from both sides of the line fish for salmon and halibut and a "great many cod are caught for each halibut and salmon. The cod is perishable and brings about one-tenth to one-fifteenth the price of wholesale halibut.

"I am satisfied that if a breakwater were built (which he called earlier 'a very simple and economical matter') at Port Renfrew and a good road put in, an enormous trade could be developed," he said.

The mayor also referred in an earlier historical summary of Victoria's background to the loss of the sealing industry here.

He called the treaty abolishing the sealing industry the "first blow" in Victoria's loss of rights.

This fact, and the loss of salmon eaten by the greatly multiplied seal herds, were bases for claims against the federal government.

"We have allowed it to happen without fighting for these rights, the loss of which cut down our income."

Turning back to the harbor at Port Renfrew, the mayor said a huge trade could be built up with the Orient "not only from fish but from goods manufactured in Victoria and the southern part of the Island."

"Victoria would again be a hive of industry," he said.

He said all ships from Puget Sound and all ships from San Francisco pass the Island's west coast on their way to the Orient.

The distance between Victoria and San Francisco was 750 miles, he said, "and hence we would have just that much advantage in our trade."

"I therefore strongly recommend to you that we get into the fight to have this long-promised development commenced and carried out."

He added that in conjunction with a steamship from San Francisco (which the mayor says is due the city under the Terms of Union) "we would have a tourist business from the south for nine, if not 10 months of the year."

"If the situation is handled properly, I am satisfied Victoria will not only be a prominent city, but a great one . . ." he promised.

Family Fund $2,300

More than $2,300 has been given to a fund to aid Mrs. John A. Lamb and her family.

Rev. H. M. Bolton announced yesterday the fund will continue until Saturday evening, concluding with a benefit dance at Colwood.

Mrs. Lamb's husband was killed Dec. 27 and her son, Brian, 11, seriously injured, in an accident near their home at Metchosin.

Brian is reported improving at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Colonist, Odeon Give News Films

Today The Daily Colonist joins the Odeon Theatre to present up-to-date news on the screen.

"The Daily Colonist presents . . ." will be a slogan at the theatre to herald the newsreel from today on.

The new step is an extension of The Daily Colonist's policy of presenting the news of the world as fully as possible.

World-wide stories that appear in the paper will soon be seen on the screen under the joint sponsorship of the paper and the theatre.

Details of the plan were worked out between Seth Hatton, publisher of The Colonist, and Elliott Brown, manager of the Odeon Theatre.

The news program will be edited here in Victoria every week from two newsreel services, that of J. Arthur Rank and International. From the large amount of film footage received, the news of particular interest to Victorians will be chosen to make up the newsreel.

The films will be made available here as rapidly as possible, with photographers from all over the world rushing film in to headquarters for processing and reshipment to theatres.

Victoria Reaches Age of 90 Soon

Incorporation papers of Victoria City will be 90 years old August 2.

But the area can actually boast of more seniority. A Hudson's Bay Company post which later was torn down as the city mushroomed, was begun in March, 1843.

The incorporation papers were received at the height of the Cariboo gold rush, which brought many "foreign-born" immigrants to the district and into the province.

The same year also saw an immigrant ship arrive from Britain with 60 young girls to bolster a wifeless country.

Victoria during the Cariboo rush saw a nomadic population at times as high as 20,000. This year it can boast a population of some 55,000.

The city's first government was headed by Mayor Thomas Harris and six councillors. Mr. Harris, a butcher by trade, was elected by acclamation when his lone opponent dropped from the race.

Ninety years later, the city's 37th mayor, Claude L. Harrison, won the chief magistrate's post only after an active campaign against three opponents.

The honor of being the capital city was transferred from New Westminster to Victoria in 1868, two years after union of the Crown colonies of British Columbia and Vancouver Island.

WHALING, SEALING

Not now an industrial centre of large proportions, Victoria, however, in its early history had whaling and sealing among its top industries.

Retaining its position as the western ocean gateway for exports and shipbuilding and as a lumbering centre, the city nevertheless early cultivated one of its natural attractions, beauty as a tourist attraction.

The Chamber of Commerce, one of the city's top booster organizations, was born a year after incorporation.

The first street car in the city and the third in the province ran along a four-mile track in 1889.

FIRST TELEPHONE

The first telephone was installed in 1878 and the first telephone exchange two years later. An advertisement of the day noted that persons standing 15 miles apart could hear each other speaking.

Canada's first incandescent lighting system began with a small street hook-up in the city in 1883.

The city has also grown culturally. The Arion male choir is older than the city, as are some churches and lodges.

The 5th Regiment is the oldest military unit of the city, established in 1878 after amalgamation of several other units.

Entertainment has also grown. The first "animated pictures" were shown in Victoria in 1897. Some early films were less than 50 feet in length.

Today the city checks Yates Street "theatre row" for films which run from five minutes to more than two hours.

Present city officials have not indicated whether there will be any celebration to mark the birthday of 90 years.

B.C. Butter Production Drops; Margarine Gains

British Columbia's creamery butter production decreased about 2,000,000 pounds last year from 1950 production, while margarine production is estimated to have climbed 3,000,000 pounds.

Reports from the agriculture department estimate that milk production would be about 10 per cent less last year than the 668,000,000 pounds in 1950.

Creamery butter produced in 1951 was 2,666,461 pounds. Production the previous year was 4,671,050 pounds.

Estimated margarine production in 1951 was 8,760,000 pounds, compared with 5,734,200 pounds in 1950.

WEATHER AT FAULT

Reason for the drop in butter production as well as milk was attributed to the extremely dry weather during the year. The price for fluid milk being considerably higher than that for butter also helped drop butter production, it was reported.

The province places 50 to 60 per cent of its available milk supplies into the fluid market compared to the Canadian average of from 25 to 28 per cent, an official said.

Increased population with a higher demand for milk also contributed to lower butter production in the province.

It was reported that Vancouver Island formerly had five active creameries and now has only small supplies from Salt Spring Island and Comox.

The milk production decrease was laid to farmers' increased operating costs as well as to availability of high prices from slaughtering, and young people shying away from farm work in favor of city work for better wages.

Carson Asks Start On P.C. Platform

Immediate start on a Progressive Conservative Party election platform was urged last night by Provincial Works Minister E. C. Carson.

"We and the Liberals are going our separate ways soon," he told Oak Bay Progressive Conservative Association members at a meeting in St. Mary's Hall.

Educating voters to the complexities of the single transferable vote and a drive to increase Progressive Conservative membership were two things Mr. Carson said must be done without delay.

He said that with the right type of candidate, there is no reason why B.C.'s next government should not be Progressive Conservative.

WARNING SOUNDED

Warning against over-enthusiasm about oil well development in the province, he said that B.C.'s forest industry would always be the biggest employer of labor, and it would not be wise to paint a possible oil industry in false colors.

He said a P.C. platform should include rebuilding and modernizing the province's highway system, as well as speeding ferry service across important rivers.

Conservatives should study and form a stand on reports of the government committees on the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, and the Hospital Insurance Act, when these are ready, he said.

RIBBON DEVELOPMENT

He thought Progressive Conservatives should back his proposed legislation to block further ribbon development along the province's arterial highways.

The meeting voted to send another resolution to provincial authorities, favoring the coloring of margarine at the time of manufacture.

Elected Oak Bay members of the federal executive were: Major Keith MacDougall, A. deB. McPhillips, J. V. Harbord, Capt. L. S. Daynes, R. A. Wood, Dr. Gordon Grant, F. H. Partridge, Mrs. D. C. F. McArthur, and Mrs. R. D. Harvey.

Church To Turn First Sod

The first sod will be turned to mark the beginning of construction of a new $146,000 extension to Metropolitan United Church at 2.30 p.m. today.

Herbert J. Pendray, chairman of the building committee, will spade the first earth, assisted by Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, pastor of the church.

According to Mr. Pendray, construction of the extension will begin at once. Contract is let out to Parfitt Construction Co. It is estimated the job will be finished by August.

The new building is the first major addition to the church since it was built in 1890. It will extend from the present building, which faces Quadra, to Johnson Street and will be three stories high.

On the lower floor will be the main kitchen, washrooms and a recreation hall 52 by 68 feet; second floor will house kitchens, ladies' sitting room and cloakrooms and the third floor will be taken up by a young people's clubroom.

When this particular work is finished, work will be started on improvements to the Sunday school, included in the estimate.

Main object of the extension, Mr. Pendray said, was to make the church more attractive to younger people.

B.C. Educators Convening Here

AROUND TOWN

Principals of normal schools, 36 school inspectors and top members of the provincial education department are attending a week-long convention in Victoria.

They are being briefed in departmental systems, it was announced. Meetings are being held in the legislative buildings.

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A district training course for scoutmasters and assistants will be held Jan. 14 in scout headquarters, 1034 Johnson Street.

This course will run for four weeks and is open to anyone over the age of 18.

Leaders are needed to expand scout work.

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City police are seeking the whereabouts of Mrs. Margaret Robertson, who is believed to be residing somewhere in Victoria.

They have important information concerning her relatives and request she get in touch with them immediately.

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A special and important meeting of the Chamber of Commerce retail merchants' section will meet in the chamber board room at 10 a.m. tomorrow. Presiding will be group chairman G. A. A. Hebden.

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A coroner's inquest into the death of Yee Jack Wo, 69, of 508 Herald, who was killed in a traffic accident at Fisgard and Government last Saturday morning, will be held at Sands Mortuary at 10.30 a.m. Friday, city police said yesterday.

Dr. J. H. Moore will conduct the inquest in the absence of Coroner E. C. Hart, who is ill in hospital.

The Chinese was in an accident involving a taxi driven by John Richard Lauder, 1019 Rockland Avenue.

Site of Siren Brings Protest

A fire siren will be erected at the old gravel pit on Keating Cross Road by Central Saanich municipality.

The location was approved by council Monday night over objections of Captain R. A. Miller. He wrote council that the siren and pole would be within 50 yards of his home and barn.

The proximity to dwellings could be understood if the area was congested, he said. He and his wife, both of whom saw four years of wartime Britain, did not wish to be reminded of that time by the siren.

Who Financed Columbus?

Do you happen to know where Columbus actually got the money to discover America?

The answer can be found in the classified section today in the feature "Where in the World."

Solomon Finds Tastes Have Changed In 41 Years as Top Concert Pianist

By FRANK MEADE

His suits have changed from velvet to Saville Row, but the great English pianist Solomon is sure that some Victoria concert-lovers will remember him as a child prodigy in London.

"I hope it won't be too much of a shock to the ladies who used to send me boxes of chocolates and admire my long hair to know that my tastes have changed to good cigars and fine champagne, and that I'm a balding 49 now," he said yesterday in the Empress Hotel.

Here for a concert tonight at the Royal Theatre, the pianist, acknowledged as among the finest in the overcrowded concert field, has visited most of the world's countries since his eight-year-old fingers captivated London audiences.

HEAVY TOURS

Addicted to air travel, the loquacious Solomon has just finished a tour of the United States. He will appear in Vancouver for a concert later this week, and then go back to England to prepare for a winter tour which will bring him back to Canada, the U.S., South America and Japan.

SOLOMON

The pianist, said of his singular name: "It's just Solomon. The full name was dropped years ago."

With a massive repertoire at his command, he couldn't say what his favorite piece of music is.

"There are dozens," he said.

TOP CONTRIBUTION

British composer William Walton's "Belshazzar's Feast" has been the greatest contribution to 20th century music, Solomon thinks, and, with the absence of prejudice found in most musicians, he likes the work of contemporary Russians.

Between tours, Solomon is kept busy recording, and has just finished a series of Beethoven's 32 sonatas.

He chooses his own music for his concerts, but will play requests if he happens to like them.

When not catching planes with his secretary, Gwendolyn Byrne, Solomon likes to drive high-powered cars, go to the theatre, and play poker.

Nanaimo Nurse Finishes Course

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—Mrs. Jessica Field, R.N., formerly a member of the Vancouver Island health unit staff has recently returned from Vancouver, where she took a course in civil defense work. Registered nurses from all over British Columbia attended the four-day course. Mrs. Field will speak to the Nanaimo Registered Nurses' Association Wednesday night.

Charge Angers City Real Estate Men

Victoria real estate men have taken exception to charges by Leonard Hatcher, civil defense co-ordinator, that unscrupulous real estate agents are urging people to sell their homes, saying the property is wanted for defense purposes.

Mr. Hatcher made the statement Monday. He quoted one woman, unnamed, as telling him an agent had advised her to sell her home because it was "scheduled under civil defense for use by the government."

Yesterday F. N. Cabeldu, president of the Real Estate Board of Victoria, said the board was extremely surprised to read the report in the press. He made a statement to the effect that the charge was far from the truth.

"It is a pity that the name of the party who is reported to have given this information to Mr. Hatcher was not secured," the statement said. "The Real Estate Board has a great deal at stake in Victoria and it is difficult to believe that any responsible agent or salesman would lend himself to such a statement."

One agent suggested that it could easily have been a neighbor of the woman, interested in obtaining the property. He pointed out that the licensing board of B.C. is maintained to supervise new agents and expel other agents if they are guilty of unscrupulous acts.

Island Men Study Water Heating

Water heating system is explained by A. C. Martin, right, at a four-day school conducted by the National Association of Master Plumbers and Heating Contractors in the Pacific Club. Watching are E. L. Harker, Ganges; E. A. Orpwood, chairman of the Victoria section of the group, and Dawson Gordon, chairman of the Nanaimo section. "Wet heating school" ends Friday. Attending are 32 tradesmen, contractors and supply house representatives from all over Vancouver Island. J. L. Neilans of Toronto is in charge.—(Colonist photo by Bud Kinsman.)

Arrives in England To Take R.N. Course

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Lieut. William Hughes, R.C.N. and Mrs. Hughes who left Victoria in mid-December have now arrived in England. Lieut. and Mrs. Hughes will make their home in England for the next 18 months while the former completes a course with the Royal Navy.

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Visitors in London

Victorians who have registered at British Columbia House in London recently include Capt. G. E. W. Hudson and Miss Fiona Anderson. Mr. J. F. Hebbert of Duncan has also been among those calling at B.C. House.

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Christening Service

The six-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Perram of Los Angeles received the names Steven William at a christening service performed by the Rev. T. Godkin in St. Michael's and All Angels' Church last Saturday. Godparents are Miss Marilyn Hunter and Mr. Don McNeil. Mr. and Mrs. Perram and their son are here visiting Mrs. Perram's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cornish, Pandora Avenue, where the reception was held following the service. Mrs. E. J. Hunter poured tea and Miss Alice Chester assisted in serving. Mrs. Hugh C. Perram, the baby's paternal grandmother was present for the ceremony and will leave today for California where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

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A Holiday in Honolulu

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Straith and Mrs. Ronald Whittington left Tuesday to spend a holiday in Honolulu. They will stay at the Edgewater Beach Hotel.

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Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Richardson will celebrate their 55th wedding anniversary quietly at their home on Grange Road on Saturday, Jan. 12. They were married at St. Peter's Church, Regent's Square, London in 1897.

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Bride Is Honored

Mrs. A. R. Turner, the former Margaret Morrison, was entertained by Miss Lorna Murgatroyd at a pantry shower. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of white chrysanthemums and violets. Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Turner, mothers of the bride and groom, also received corsages of bronze chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Turner was also entertained by Mrs. P. Hunt, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ludlow, Cedar Hill Road. The bride received a corsage of rosebuds and many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Turner received a Kenwood blanket and good wishes from members and staff of the Labor Relations Board and Department of Labor.

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Miss S. Ethelyn Wallace of Winnipeg is here to spend a holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wallace, 1979 Cochrane Street.

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Mr. Kenneth Boulter has returned to Prince Rupert after spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Boulter, 523 Davida Avenue.

Ottawa Debutantes Presented at Annual Ball

These 18 pretty debutantes, daughters of high government officials and socially prominent families in the capital, presented to the Governor-General and Lady Alexander at the annual Government House ball in Ottawa. Front, left to right on floor: Denise Desbarats, Norma Walford, Janet Roberts, Susan Anderson, Elaine Bollerud. Back row, left to right: Julie Nulkins (seated), Andree Desbarats, Sylvia Davy, Sarah Grant, Ruth Simons, Wendy Quain, Eleanor Anglin, Teressa Sellar, Rhonna Curtis, Patricia Knowlton, Judith Maclaren, Felicity Giles, Joan Mothersill (seated).—(CP photo.)

Couple Honeymoon At Harrison Springs

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 8.—Marriage vows uniting Alberni Valley and Treviso, Italy, families were exchanged in the Elim Tabernacle, Third Avenue North, Port Alberni, when Judith Netalia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. DeLuca, APL Camp 1, became the bride of Romeo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Crema, Treviso, Italy.

The Rev. M. B. Delgatty read the service.

During the signing of the [illegible] sang "The Lord's Prayer," with Bill Dennett providing the accompaniment.

The bride, given away by her father, wore a full-length white satin gown. The bodice was studded with seed pearls and inset with lace, with long sleeves and a skirt with two-panel lace front. Her lace-bordered veil was held by a pearl coronet and she carried a shower of red rosebuds.

Mrs. V. Gervais was matron of honor in an aqua taffeta gown and bolero with matching veil held with flowers. Her bouquet was of yellow chrysanthemums.

The bridesmaid, Miss Florence Eliason, wore yellow net over taffeta with a bolero and yellow veil held with mauve flowers and bouquet to match.

The reception was held in the Somass Legion Hall, with Mr. and Mrs. DeLuca receiving guests.

The table was decorated with candles and white and mauve flowers. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with a miniature bride and groom. James McIntyre proposed the toast.

Ricky DeLuca was best man for the groom and Bud DeLuca was usher.

The bride wore a navy blue gabardine suit with wine accessories and an orchid corsage for the honeymoon trip to Harrison Hot Springs. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Crema will reside in Alberni.

Liberal Women's Forum will meet Jan. 11 at 2.30 at 1322A Government Street. Hon. Douglas Turnbull will be guest speaker.

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Craigflower Women's Institute will meet in the View Royal Hall at 2 p.m. on Jan. 10. All members requested to attend.

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Christ Church Cathedral Women's Parish Guild annual meeting with election of officers will take place on Friday at 2.30 p.m.

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Miss Audrey Abery, R.N., has successfully passed examinations as a radiological technician. Miss Abery, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Abery, Balmoral Road, trained as a nurse at St. Joseph's School of Nursing, Victoria, and was night supervisor of that hospital until she left for Trail in 1949. She has been a nurse and student X-ray technician at Trail Tadanac Hospital for the past two years while taking her training in the radiological department. She will remain as nurse X-ray technician at Trail Tadanac.

Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet at 2 p.m. on Friday at headquarters.

Margaret Morrison Bride of A. Turner

The marriage of Margaret May, only daughter of Mrs. R. Morrison and the late Robert Morrison, 1900 Hampshire Road, and Alan Rodney Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Turner, 2475 Bowker Avenue, took place at a quiet ceremony performed by the Rev. Moir A. J. Waters in the vestry of First United Church, Jan. 7.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. John Morrison, Vancouver, the bride was attired in a winter white suit with navy hat and accessories. Her corsage was of gardenia and red roses.

Attending the bride was Mrs. Colin Turner, wearing a chartreuse knitted dress with matching hat and corsage of bronze chrysanthemums. The best man was Mr. Colin Turner, the groom's twin brother.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's mother where guests were welcomed by mothers of the bride and groom. The toast was given by Mr. J. A. Collins, Ottawa.

The couple will reside here.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's) will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the spare mess in the Bay Street Armoury. Everyone interested in the regiment is invited to attend.

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Victoria and District Cornish Society will hold the annual New Year banquet at the home of Mrs. Hick, 1603 Bay Street, on Jan. 12 at 6.30 p.m.

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The W.A., No. 65, to the Typographical Union, No. 201, will meet on Jan. 10 at 2.15 p.m. in the Y.W.C.A. Election of officers will take place.

Lake Church Scene Of White Wedding

LAKE COWICHAN, Jan. 8.—United Church was the scene of a pretty wedding recently when Ethel Marie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tiesu, Lake Cowichan, became the bride of Mr. Henry Ronald Monti, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Monti, Mesachie Lake.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin fashioned with lily point sleeves. Her full length veil cascaded into a small train and her bouquet was of talisman roses and white chrysanthemums.

Mr. Kenneth Beaumont, who will enter Los Angeles Bible Institute, received a leather travelling bag from Lake Hill Mission, where he has worked for several years.

The Misses Audrey Marley and Josephine Monti were bridesmaids. Mr. Keith Shadforth was best man. Ushers were Mr. Leonard Tiesu and Mr. Jackie Monti. Miss B. Fowler was organist.

A reception followed at the Mesachie Lake Community Hall where the parents of the bride and groom assisted in receiving over 200 guests.

A Christmas tree decorated the hall. Bouquets of carnations and two pink tapers enhanced the bride's table which was centred by a three-tier wedding cake.

Mr. J. L. Maitland proposed the toast to the bride.

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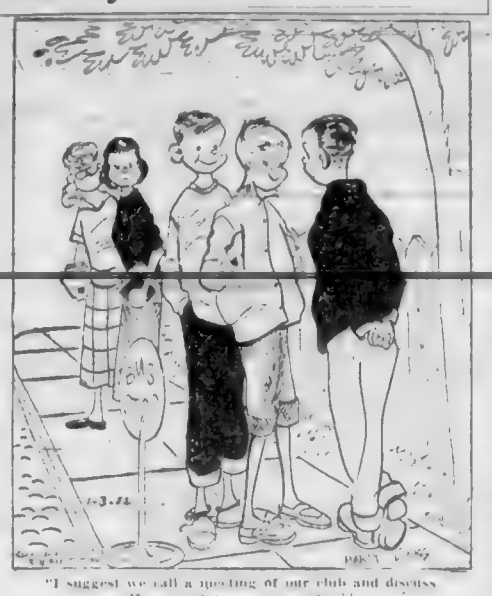
By Marty Links



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Mayor Names Opponent To Two Posts

Mayor Claude L. Harrison has appointed his election opponent, Dr. J. D. Hunter, to serve as city representative on two civic bodies.

Dr. Hunter will sit on the Queen Alexandra Solarium Board and the Victoria Public Library Board.

Hunter will fill a vacancy left by the resignation of Colonist editor-in-chief Sandham Graves.

OSLO (CP).—The Norwegian parliament has voted 100,000 kroner (about $15,000 Canadian) to relief for victims of the North Italy floods and King Haakon himself donated 1,000 kroner. Contributions of money, food and clothing are coming from all parts of Norway.

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(NOTE—There will be no sale Wednesday p.m.)

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TENDER FOR FIRE INSURANCE

SEALED TENDERS marked "Tenders for Insurance" are invited for placing fire insurance for a term of three years on various buildings and contents owned by The Corporation of the District of Saanich.

List of properties and coverage required may be obtained from the undersigned.

Tenders to be in the hands of the undersigned by 5 p.m., Monday, January 21st, 1952.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. B. TRIBE,
Municipal Clerk,
Royal Oak P.O.,
V.I., B.C.

SEALED tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "TENDER FOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITION, PUBLIC BUILDING, CHEMAINUS, B.C.," will be received in the office of the Secretary, until 3.00 P.M. (E.S.T.), WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1952.

Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the offices of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Ontario, the District Architect, Public Building, Victoria, B.C., at the Post Office Building, Vancouver, B.C., and at the Public Building, Cranbrook, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on these forms and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works or Bearer Bonds as specified in the form of tender, for 10% of the amount of the tender.

NOTE—The Department, through the office of the District Architect, Public Building, Victoria, B.C., will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of $50.00 in the form of a certified bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works. The deposit will be released on return of the blue-prints and specification within a month from the date of reception of tenders. If not returned within that period the deposit will be forfeited.

ROBERT FORTIER,
Acting Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, December 28, 1951.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Section 161)

In the matter of Lots 13 and 14 in Block "F" of Section 1, Range 9, Shawnigan District, Plan 1720.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 108427-I to the above mentioned land in the name of John Hearn Stuart and bearing date the 21st February, 1938.

I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said John Hearn Stuart a Provisional Certificate of Indefeasible Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1951, at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

A. HOWARD,
Deputy Registrar,
Victoria Land
Registration District.

AFRICAN SAMSON

HARRISMITH, South Africa (CP)—Alin trying to escape from police station cell here Shea Radebe, a big African, tore a sheet of iron roofing in two. When he could not get out through the opening he bent some iron window bars to an ... degrees.

High Wind Causes Little Damage

Little damage was done by last night's strong wind, with city fire department's turning out to five chimney fires and one fallen wire.

The Victoria department answered four calls between 6 and 9.30 p.m.

About 10 p.m. the Oak Bay force attended at the corner of Ring and Central when a wire fell into a tree and started a fire.

Saanich had one chimney fire early in the evening at 2814 Parkview Drive.

PIONEER COLONISTS

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Morale in Korea High, Says Mayhew

By Colonist Staff Reporter

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 — Fisheries Minister Robert W. Mayhew has no worries about the morale of Canada's fighting forces in Korea.

"The boys told me," he said here today, "that this was the only war in history where they asked you how you wanted your beefsteak cooked."

He told a wind-up dinner meeting of the executive committee of the B.C. Liberal Association some of the highlights of his recent trip to Japan and Korea, where he visited Canadian soldiers, sailors and airmen in hospitals, rest camps, aboard ship and on the firing line.

"Our boys would like to get home," he said, "but they're ready to stay there and do a job."

MANAGER RETIRES

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8 (CP).—H. R. Plommer, general manager and managing director of Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited, has retired, it was announced today.

Mr. Plommer, who has been associated with Canadian Collieries since 1910, will be succeeded by E. O. T. Simpson, general manager.

De-Icer Works On Helicopters

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (AP).—The Navy Monday announced the development of the first successful de-icing system for helicopter rotor blades. The system, operated electrically, consists principally of rubber boots of wire-imbedded neoprene — which run the length of the main rotor blades.

Wind May Bring Milder Weather

After shivering its way through a month of chilly temperatures, the Lower Island may be in for some milder weather.

Gale warnings were posted in the Gulf of Georgia and the Strait of Juan de Fuca last night, with the promise of winds up to 55 miles an hour for today.

Strong winds and heavy rain hit Courtenay early last night, bringing milder temperatures and better road conditions.

Duncan and Nanaimo reported a slight rise in the temperature and a little rain.

Snow was forecast for the Malahat, and although none had fallen late last night, it could come down today.

R.C.M.P. officials said last night that the Malahat Highway was reasonably good, but drivers are still asked to use caution as there is some ice on the roads in shaded spots.

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OIL ON THE WATER

We've taken down the tree, the tinsel & snow, & the living-room now is a studio; & that's because our 2 little "saints"? each got for Christmas, a set of paints. Various-size brushes came with these sets, there's a hole for your thumb thru the fancy palettes. Each has a board with canvas glued on, with a picture outlined to daub the oils on. Sandra's a sketch of mountains & snow, a frozen tarn where it all below, while Trudie's is the opposite, her canvas encloses, a sketch of a vase, & some very red roses. I lingered awhile as they messed about, to get the right colors, but somewhat in doubt. Trudie squeezed her red, then slapped on, one little petal gleamed alone. "That's it." I said as I hit it again, "high-lights effect that I try & obtain." "Start with the snow," to Sa... In fright, "you CAN'T go wr... 'cause white is white." KNOW," she replied, as daubed her debut, "bulsalong ridge, a suggestion of ... "Well, go ahead, take a ... and remember, 'perspective is every thing.'" I picked brush; it was No. 4, I took the window, at "the sea shore. The wind was h... the waves sea-green, "I t... sed, "I'll catch that scene in the basement, arou... plored, I sawed up a "Ten-Test" board. The ... footed, as my canvas ... "Y-O-U, a painter??? I... Ha Ha." "The horizon ... a fast sweep is my style ... It-Now . . . here's Discovery ... Now, gimmee some red for that lighthouse there," both of them now, be... ginning to stare. "G-E-E," sed Trudie standing ... sure are doing it awfully fast" . . . "Nawh," I snorted, switching my color to a smidge of grey & somewhat duller; "I gotta work fast to catch that light, a few deft strokes puts those seagulls in flight." G-O-S-H," breathed Trudie, & both scratched their skulls. "I think round my roses I'll pu... some sea-gulls." Then sife rais... her arm, &—eff did point. "I... comes the ship round 10 ... Point. It's the Princess Mar... ite or maybe Kathleen, can ...

catch it, Pop . . . fast in y... scene??" "Ah-sure," I sed grabbed the palette, lined up ... oils & got myself set. "Jimmi... hollered Trudie, one eye on ... brine, the other on her bottle ... turpen-tine; "you're gonna p... yellow," her sister said, "a... smear of white for the boy-wave ahead." "Don't get excited, I'm all set to doser," the Princess was comilng . . . ever closer 'n closer. "N-O-W," sed Sanny (all was a hush) I made a bold stroke with our biggest brush. "Faster," screamed Trudie, I slopped on the gunn'als, "gimmee that yellow,"—up went the funnels. I grabbed the black, this my master-stroke, one long line of trailly black smoke. To the very next person, buying a Chesterfield Suite, we'll throw in this picture of the "Marguerite"; competitive stress price as meaning much, we sling more oil, with . . . THE PERSONAL TOUCH.

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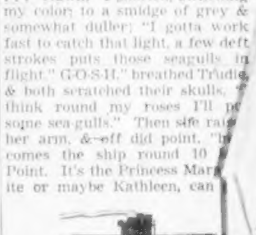

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Price $5500

Call Mr. Blenkinsop

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BUNGALOW

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SPACE CADET

STAND BY TOM! WE'RE STILL IN DANGER!
THAT WAS CLOSE! YOU JOCKEYED US AWAY JUST IN TIME, CAPTAIN STRONG!
CAPT. STRONG TO "PILGRIM"! CUT YOUR JETS! WE'RE IN YOUR TAIL SPLASH! CUT YOUR JETS OR WE'LL BE FRIED!

CISCO KID

YEP, SAM, THIS IS CISCO DOWN HERE WE'LL SEND UP THE OUTLAWS ONE AT A TIME! ARE YOU READY?
AS CISCO AND PANCHO RIDE THEIR HORSE THE DISARMED OUTLAWS ASCEND ONE BY ONE
AH, MR. CARTER, HOW NICE... MR. CARTER, HOW NICE... BUT I'M GLAD YOU CAME! MY DAUGHTER, RUST MY LINDA, RUN ME AND YOU ARE NOW AN ARMY

LIL ABNER

IN YESTERDAY'S "FEARLESS FOSDICK" STRIP FOSDICK SAID HE HAD A "MASTER PLAN" THAT WILL NOT ONLY TH "BLOW" BUT SAVE HIMSELF!!
WHAT A WONDIFUL DON'T SIGH!!
FOSDICK HE'S HIS PLAN WILL GO WRONG 'S SOMEHOW!! AH GOT FAITH IN HIM!!
PAPER, SON!!
F-FOSDICK IS GONNA DIE!! 'AN' IN A PARTIKLARLY HORRIBLE W-WAY!!

RIP KIRBY

THEY FLEE, MASTER... THE FOREIGN DEVILS WITH THE BENSON WOMAN... THEY PLAN TO ESCAPE IN YOUR PLANE!
THEY RIDE STRAIGHT THROUGH THE MAINE TO THE HANGAR BEFORE THEM! MY HORSE
BOUGHT HIS WAY INTO THE THRONE ROOM!
WHERE IS YOUR MASTER DOST SPEAK, OR I SHALL RUN YOU THROUGH BEFORE

POGO

COURSE RUNNIN' OFF ALL HOLIDAYS LIKE BUN FOLT WANTS TO WOULD GIT ALL THE HOOTIN' AN HOLLOWIN' OVER IN A NICE FAT WEEKEND.
WAY-ELL, I GUESS UP TO A POINT---- ACTUAL I DON'T BLIEVE THE NATION KIN STAND IT.
WOW! NOCHITSA NIGHT! HOORAY FOR NOCHITSA NIGHT!
CAN'T STAND IT? HOW COME?
WELL, EVERY HOLIDAY WEEKEND WE KILL'S OFF 'BOUT 500 HUMAN CRITTURS WITH AUTOMOBOBBLES AN' IF WE RUNNED 'EM OFF ALL AT ONCE WE'D DECIMATE THE COUNTRY
DECIMATION DAY! PAY! PAY!
THE HON. WALTER LISTER

MARY WORTH

MISS KING!... THEY'RE PUTTING IN A NEW DOMESTIC SCIENCE COURSE AT THE HIGH SCHOOL! WILL YOU GO OUT AND GET A STORY ON IT FROM THE PRINCIPAL?
WILL I?!... I'M HALFWAY THERE RIGHT NOW, CHIEF!
THIS IS ONE ASSIGNMENT WHERE I'LL NOT COMPLAIN ABOUT A LITTLE OVERTIME!
MR. WALLACE? HE'S DISCUSSING SOME CARNIVAL POSTERS WITH THE ART TEACHER!... YOU MAY GO RIGHT IN!

MUTT & JEFF

I CAME INTO BEING ON NOVEMBER 15TH 1907 UNDER THE NAME OF "A. MUTT" "A" STANDS FOR AUGUSTUS!
JEFF, WHAT'S YOUR NAME?
JEFF!
JEFF WHAT? WHAT'S YOUR FULL NAME?
EMPTY OR FULL ITS JEFF!
LISTEN, WHAT'S YOUR LAST NAME? YOU MUST HAVE A LAST NAME!
I DON'T KNOW!
WHAT WAS YOUR PARENTS' NAME?
MAMA AND PAPA!

PENNY

I DON'T SEE WHY YOU SPEND ALLOF YOUR TIME IN THE SCHOOL LAB, CALVIN.
YOU SIMPLY NEVER GET YOUR MIND OFF CHEMISTRY. I DON'T THINK YOU LIKE ME A SINGLE BIT.
GOSH, SURE I DO, PENNY. I'M WILD ABOUT YOU. I THINK YOU'RE THE NEATEST...
COMBINATION OF HYDROGEN, OXYGEN, NITROGEN AND MINERAL SALTS SOUTH OF THE STATE LINE.

JOE PALOOKA

WITH THE PHONES OUT... I GUESS IT'S THE ONLY THING TO DO... COULD YOU... YOU MUST... FLY ME TO NEW YORK...
I'D LIKE TO HELP YOU OUT, MISTER PALOOKA, BUT I'VE GOT A LOT OF WORK...
LISTEN... THIS CONCERNS NOT ONLY MY FRIENDS LIFE... BUT IT'S OF VITAL IMPORTANCE TO YOU TOO... ALL OF US...
HOW COME?
A FEW MINUTES LATER...
NO KIDDIN', GOSH... THAT'S FANTASTIC... LET'S GO... WE CAN MAKE NEW YORK IN AN HOUR...
IF WE CAN ONLY BEAT THEM TO NEW YORK... THAT'S MY WORRY!!

GRANDMA

WILL YOU RUN IN-AN' SEE WHAT TIME IT IS, HOMER? I'M GETTIN' A BIT HUNGRY-
SHUCKS, I FORGOT, HE PROBABLY CAN'T EVEN TELL TH' TIME !!
TH' CLOCK SAYS IT'S THIS TIME, GRANDMA !!
WELL, EXPECT WE'D BETTER QUIT WORK AN' HAVE A LITTLE LUNCH, THEN !!

ARCHIE

SIR, E.F.R. FOUND SOMETHING IN THE CORRIDOR...
ARCHIE! YOU KNOW WHERE TO PUT LOST AND FOUND ARTICLES! DON'T BOTHER ME!
BUT, SIR...
ARCHIE! JUST TACK IT UP ON THE BULLETIN BOARD!
B-BUT
PUT A SIGN ON IT. 'FOUND. A 50-AND 50!'
FOUND THE PRINCIPAL'S TOUPEE

REX MORGAN

YOU'RE COMPLETELY RUINING MY PLANS, DR. MORGAN! I HAD IT ALL ARRANGED FOR THE WRECKING CREW TO BE HERE BY TEN O'CLOCK TOMORROW MORNING!
THE WRECKING CREW?
OF COURSE! THEY WERE GOING TO START TEARING DOWN THIS BUILDING!
IF YOU INTENDED TO TEAR DOWN THE BUILDING THEN WHY NOT BUY A COUPLE OF EMPTY LOTS WHICH ARE AVAILABLE JUST DOWN THE STREET?
YOU MUST LEARN NEVER TO QUESTION A DECISION MADE BY WORTHINGTON VAN FLEET, V.P.

BLONDIE

COME ON, SIT UP-- SHOW MR. DITHERS HOW NICE YOU CAN SIT UP!
I CAN'T WAIT ANY LONGER, DAGWOOD-- I'VE GOT TO GO
SIT UP PLEASE PLEASE --AW, COME ON, SIT UP.
I WON'T LOOK!

BARNABY

Mom. I'm going to be six years old, maybe. And I--
Maybe? You WILL be six. This month
Well, could we have some people in? To talk about it? So--
Sure we can
We'll invite all your friends. Ice cream and cake--
Gosh
A nice idea, your mother's. After the serious business of the meeting is disposed of, your Fairy Godfather's not averse to refreshments.
But who shall we invite?

Culbertson on Bridge - - -

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Too many players open the bidding "on a shoestring" and then, regardless of their distribution, "let partner suffer." If this phraseology is not quite clear to the reader, the following account should clarify it.

North, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.
North-South 80 on score.

NORTH
♠ K Q J 7 4
♥ 10 8 6 5
♦ K Q 7
♣ 8

WEST
♠ 10 8
♥ 9 3
♦ 8 5 2
♣ A K 9 7 6 4

EAST
♠ 9 6 5
♥ K 7 4 2
♦ J 10 9
♣ Q 10 3

SOUTH
♠ A 3 2
♥ A Q J
♦ A 6 4 3
♣ J 5 2

This was the bidding in a supposedly serious and more-or-less expert rubber game.

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	2 N.T.	Pass
Pass	Pass		

West naturally opened his fourth-highest club, and South found himself down a trick before he could even get in. This result was all the more embarrassing and costly to the North-South pair inasmuch as they could have made six spades by virtue of the heart finesse and the 33 diamond break.

This does not mean that North-South would or should have reached a six-spade contract via any normal bidding, but it goes without saying that any spade contract, from the two-level to the six-level inclusive, would have been a vast improvement over the actual two-no-trump contract.

It was not South's fault that the partnership landed at such a ridiculous spot. At the score, what was South to bid over North's spade, if not two no-trump? Surely, even at the score, his 3½ plus honor-trick holding demanded respect; he had to make some effort to investigate slam possibilities, and the jump in no-trump appeared to be better and safer than any other effort. Certainly, South could not afford to jump-raise the spade bid on only the A-3-2 support.

The fault lay entirely with North. Only he could know that he had opened the bidding on shaded values, and only he could know about the singleton club. There was no excuse for North's standing aside after he had "started things"; a rebid of his spade suit was obligatory.

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Uncle Wiggily Story - - -

By Howard Garis

COASTS DOWN

The Lady Mouse teacher of Hollow Tree School was very happily surprised next day when Uncle Wiggily hopped into the class room.

"Oh, Uncle Wiggily, I didn't expect you!" said Miss Mouse in her funny, little squeaky voice.

"I came to school to ask a favor," said the rabbit uncle as he sat down in a chair on the platform beside the desk of the mouse teacher. "That is my excuse for coming here."

"Do you want to be excused from your home work, Uncle Wiggily?" asked Miss Mouse. "I think I can do that for you. Since it is so near Christmas, we are not having much home work now. You are excused."

"Oh, thank you, I didn't come here for that," said the rabbit uncle as he twinkled his pink nose. "I just want to ask if you will excuse the boys and girls from school early this afternoon, please."

"Is there any special reason?" asked Miss Mouse.

"Yes, there is," answered Uncle Wiggily. "My friend, Mr. Whitewash the polar bear, has come to visit me. He has built an igloo down in Snow Glen and he is going to give the children an igloo party this afternoon. You are also invited."

"Oh, thank you so much—you and Mr. Whitewash," squeaked Miss Mouse. "But I am such a little creature that I think I shall never be able to climb down the steep hill into Snow Glen."

"Don't worry about that, Miss Mouse," said Mr. Longears. "You will not have to climb down a steep hill. Nor will any of the children."

"Why not?" asked Miss Mouse, while all the children listened.

"Oh, that," said Uncle Wiggily with another pinkie of his twink nose. "I beg your pardons. I mean a twinkle of his pink nose. That is a secret, Miss Mouse."

"Oh, if it is a secret, I would not dream of asking about it," said Miss Mouse quickly. "But the favor you asked me is granted. I will dismiss school about two o'clock. Will that be time enough for them to go to the party of Mr. Whitewash in Snow Glen?"

"Plenty of time, Miss Mouse thank you. While and I will expect you with the children. Don't forget—you will not have to climb down the steep hill, nor will the children. But how you will get down, for the present, is a secret."

"And I'm sure it will be a wonderful secret!" said Miss Mouse.

Uncle Wiggily hopped out of school. He went to the store of the goat, Uncle Pat Butter, where he bought many good things for the children to eat at the party.

"Whale will want to eat frozen fish and blubber, like all polar bears," said Uncle Wiggily to Mr. Butter. "But I want cake, ice cream and candy for the children."

"Quite right, too, Wiggy! Quite right!" bleated the grocery store goat gentleman.

Uncle Wiggily took what he had bought to the top of the hill leading down into Snow Glen. At the bottom, Mr. Longears saw the polar bear decorating his igloo with evergreen branches.

"I'm getting ready for the party, Wiggy!" shouted the bear.

"I have brought candy, ice cream and cake," said the rabbit.

"Then slide down, Wiggy. Slide down!" invited Mr. Whitewash. Uncle Wiggy saw that the polar bear had made a fine snow slide down the top of the hill down to his igloo. "Slide down, Wiggy! Slide down!"

"I'm not very good at sliding down such a long steep hill," said the rabbit. "I wish I had a sled."

"I made a lot of sleds out of bark. I suppose you could call them toboggans," said Mr. Whitewash. "You will find them back of the mulberry bush on top of the hill. Grab a toboggan and come sliding."

Uncle Wiggily found several toboggans. He took one and, with his bundles of good things to eat, he sat on the bark sled. Down he went, coasting to the polar bear's snow igloo. Down, down, down, coasted Uncle Wiggily. Faster! Faster! FASTER!

I hope nothing happens to him. I will tell you more about it in tomorrow's story if the goldfish will put on its rubber boots and go roller skating with the canary bird.

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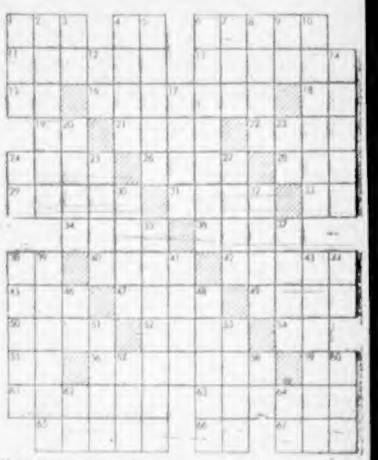
The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle - - -



HORIZONTAL
1 Body of water
4 Symbol for tantalum
8 Texas missing (and so on)
11 To call
13 An inform
14 ... (Fren. slang)
15 Baby's toy (pl.)
16 Chinese dynasty (pre-)
18 Exclamation of pain
21 Private (Scot.)
22 Front of ship
23 Toward the stern
25 Pronoun
26 Prince in power
28 Minute animal
29 Ireland
30 Personal pronoun
31 Ship
32 Ecclesiastical cutter
34 Fuel in oil
35 Pronoun in address
36 Fourth note
38 Harmful rule
42 Burrow in ambuscade
45 Fourth note
47 Point of space
48 Point of black
50 Pronoun
51 Chemical
52 Fuel in boiler
53 To ride
54 Tree
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Answer to Previous Puzzle:

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Largest university in Italy the University of Naples, was founded in 1224, by Frederick II.

Two Men Plead Guilty to Charge Of Conspiring to Defraud Bank

Two men arrested by city police Monday and charged with conspiring to defraud the Bank of Toronto, 630 Yates, pleaded guilty in city police court yesterday.

They are William E. L. Nicholson and John E. A. Johnston, no fixed address. Arrests were made by Detectives Louis Callan and J. D. Blackstock, after receiving information that the men were in town.

Magistrate H. C. Hall remanded the men to today for sentence on the request of City Prosecutor James Proudfoot, who said further investigations were being carried out in connection with the charges.

Brian J. Stevenson and Jack R. Stone, who pleaded guilty last month to a total of 10 charges of breaking, entering and theft, were each sentenced to six months determinate and two years less a day indeterminate in New Haven.

Kenneth Sheppen, 1827 Quadra, was fined $35 for careless driving, and S. Robertson, 1120 May, was fined a similar amount for driving without a current driver's license.

Stanley J. Newfield, Gordon Head Army Camp, who faced a charge of careless driving, was fined $50 and had his driver's license suspended and a report made to the motor vehicle branch.

Police Blame Morning Ice For Accidents

Saanich police blamed early morning ice for a flurry of accidents in the municipality yesterday morning.

Total damage in a two-truck collision on Falmouth Road amounted to about $200, police said. The vehicles were driven by Herbert G. Rainstein, Mount Douglas Cross Road, and John Varley, Santa Clara Avenue.

Later, a car driven by Miss Ann Rohner, Cordova Bay Road, skidded on icy Shelbourne Street and overturned. Damage was about $100.

Police reported other minor accidents but damage was slight.

Home Broken Into, Razor, Cash Taken

City police reported the home of George J. Warren, Hillside Auto Court, was entered Monday night and an electric razor and $26 in cash stolen.

Another report said a $40 ring was lifted from the store of the Lee Wah Lee Company, Government Street, some time Monday. Two juveniles are believed responsible.

U.S. to Deport Ex-Victorian

SEATTLE, Jan. 8 (AP).—An order for the deportation of Mrs. Hazel Anna Wolf, 53, a native of Victoria, was upheld today by the commissioner of immigration. A warrant was issued for her arrest.

Mrs. Wolf, a secretary, had been free on $500 bond since the summer of 1950. An immigration service examiner ruled she had been a member of the Communist Party since entering the United States.

Canadian Drawing Display Tells Much About Artists

By SPECIAL REVIEWER

It must sometimes have occurred to readers of "Canadian Art," a magazine which frequently reproduces Canadian drawings from the National Gallery collection, that a showing of such works would be instructive.

Group exhibits of Canadian paintings are, happily, fairly frequent nowadays. The same [illegible] This is a pity, for drawings sometimes are apt to tell more about an artist than oils or watercolors.

Fortunately the National Gallery at Ottawa has now sent on tour such a collection. It will be on view at the Arts Centre for the next two weeks.

What, in fact, does this group tell us about the Canadian artist? Certainly we have as yet produced no great draftsman, but we have some exceedingly fine ones. Monotony and sameness are the last words one could apply to the show, which leaves the viewer surprised at the range and variety possible in such seemingly limited media as ink and pencil.

PALE DELICACY

Take for example Lemoine Fitzgerald's "By the River," a work whose pale delicacy and restraint may easily cause it to be overlooked. Yet for purity of line, subtelty of integration and almost Oriental refinement, it could scarcely be surpassed.

At the other end of the scale, Fritz Brandtner's "Westmount, Quebec" indicates the strength and starkness possible when the artist decides to put some muscle behind the pencil. The wiry, angular trees in Masson's "Perkins Mill" provide another case in point.

There is a pleasurable variety of approach in the Matisse-like ebullience of de Tonnancour's two figure studies, in the wayward wit of Bunning's "Trees By the Water," Varely's supple line, Lismer's brusquer handling and Nichol's combination of pencil and color wash.

Until quite recently, drawing with the brush was an Oriental rather than a western technique. This is no longer the case, to judge by the number of brush works in the exhibit. The work of David Milne in this genre has earned him an enviable reputation, and he is well represented by two landscapes. On the other hand, to those familiar with the Emily Carr drawings in the Vancouver gallery, her representation at Ottawa will come as something of a disappointment.

The Art Centre has in addition to the drawings a new group of old paintings loaned from local private collections, as well as an exhibit tracing the origin of some of the more distinguished work in contemporary magazine design.

HERTFORD, Eng. (CP)—The local council is repairing and re-erecting air raid sirens at a cost of £1,500. The sirens have been in storage since the Second World War ended.

Amusements

ON THE SCREEN

Atlas—"The Thing" at 1.02, 3.51, 6.40, 9.34, plus "Lilli Marlene."

Capitol — "His Kind of Woman" at 1.39, 4.05, 6.31, 9.02.

Dominion—"Golden Girl" at 1.00, 3.39, 6.23, 9.22, plus "The Royal Journey" at 2.43, 5.27, 8.11.

Fox—"Vote for Huggett" plus "According to Mrs. Hoyle" at 6.40 and 9.00. Doors 6.30.

Oak Bay — "Grounds for Marriage" at 6.45 and 8.53. Doors 6.30.

Odeon—"Raging Tide," at 1.00, 3.55, 6.50, 9.50, plus "Feudin', Fussin' and A-Fightin'."

Plaza — "Babies for Sale" plus "Black Parachute."

Rio—"Flame and Arrow" plus "Golden Arrow." Doors 6.00.

Royal—Stage attraction. Famous artists, "Solomon."

Daily Astrology

By RITA DEL MAR

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 9, 1952

Today's quotation: "Wisdom is only found in truth."—Johann Wolfgang von Goethe.

Wednesday for everyone. Be active, energetic, make plans; but avoid a tendency to be overly talkative or nervous. Don't become involved in needless upsets of the existing pattern. Use care en route.

Look for your birthdate and birthsign below.

March 21 to April 19 (Aries)—Do some positive thinking but go slow about committing yourself just yet. Evening: avoid gossip, small talk.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus)—Give thought, attention to finances, belongings. Evenings: keep clear of involvements, disagreements.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini)—"Come into your own;" get around, garner popularity, information, advice. Evening: Exercise tact, restraint.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer)—Dispatch chores and insure some extra free time. Evening: Keep out of trouble.

July 23 to Aug. 22 (Leo)—Extend contacts; be congenial but make no quick changes. Evening: Rest, shun hazards.

Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 (Virgo)—Act to increase esteem or "rating" with superiors. Evening: Don't go off on negative tangents.

Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 (Libra)—Secure help of supporters, "boost" far-reaching ventures. Evening: Shun haste; use diplomacy; double-check judgment.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 (Scorpio)—Add to reserves; build reputation with "people who count." Evening: Be saving with time, energy.

Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 (Sagittarius)—Be receptive to practical ideas and program of others. Evening: Accept possible restrictions, duties.

Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 (Capricorn)—Step up usefulness, job capability; shop or attend to dietary, health interests. Evening: gain added rest.

Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 (Aquarius)—Exert talents, skills; promote creative, executive matters or have fun. Evening: avert extravagance, risks.

Feb. 19 to March 20 (Pisces)—Keep your composure to expedite tasks at hand; adapt to interruptions. Evening: avert discord.

Planning ahead—good for sociability, entertaining, etc.: Jan. 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 22, 29, Feb. 10, 11, 12, 13.

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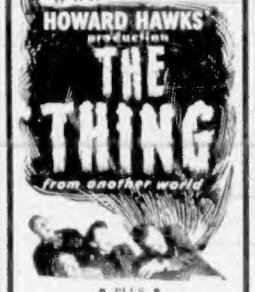
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